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'Wait-and-see'.
Ex-campaign managers won't work on mayor's re-election efforts unless he gets healthy

Neither Nick Kouvalis nor Richard Ciano, the campaign managers credited with vaulting Rob Ford into the mayor's chair, will help Ford get re-elected in 2014 unless he takes steps to clean up his "health and well-being."

Ciano, president of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Party, confirmed that Kouvalis, his business partner in Campaign Research, has long made his concerns known directly to Ford and to those around him.

Quoted

"Nick has openly told people that he doesn't think Rob is going to make it for the next campaign, whether it's drinking, putting on too much weight, whether Rob can handle the stress."
A source close to Nick Kouvalis

"I'm going to follow Nick's lead when it comes to the Ford work we do," Ciano said in an interview. "He has expressed some concerns about the mayor's condition.

"It's wait-and-see as to whether we work on his campaign. I wish (Ford) the best. How seriously he takes his health and overall well-being will determine how things go forward."

The pair are among six members of Ford's loyal 2010 campaign team contacted by the Torstar News Service this week who say, for a variety of reasons, they won't work on the 2014 election or are unsure if they will get involved.

The statement from Ciano comes as the mayor and his brother, Coun. Doug Ford, flatly deny that the mayor has any personal problems.

A source close to Kouvalis said he does not know if Ford uses drugs or abuses alcohol — just that the mayor has behaved erratically and is obviously unwell. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

GOOD DAY FOR A RESIGNATION

Dalton McGuinty is expected to resign as an MPP Wednesday. Despite the ongoing gas-plant scandal, the former premier and his Liberals managed to avoid an election with support from the NDP in the budget vote Tuesday. Story, page 4. RENE JOHNSTON/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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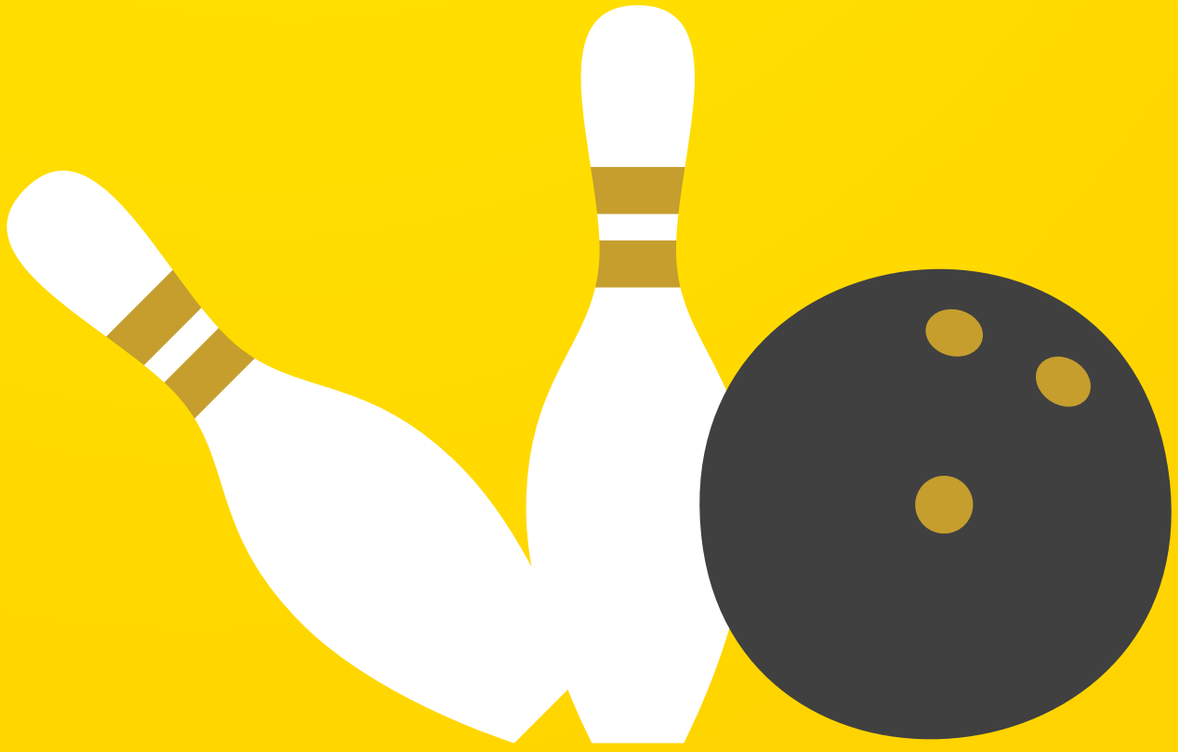

Alleged drug use

Ford scandal won't end with firing: Robinson

The Mayor Rob Ford video scandal will not end with his firing of Coun. Jaye Robinson from executive committee for suggesting he take time off to deal with his "personal issues," Robinson says.

The Don Valley West councillor told reporters Tuesday morning she stands by her call for Ford to "clearly and definitively and without question," address ongoing questions about his alleged substance abuse.

Ford denied that Robinson's call for him to consider a leave of absence is behind her firing.

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No explanation

Mayor Ford again votes against grants program

Rob Ford

Mayor Rob Ford has continued his annual tradition of voting against all six of Toronto's community grants programs — and losing overwhelmingly on all six.

The grants programs give $16.8 million in taxpayer money to more than 200 non-government organizations. The $14.3-million Community Service Partnerships Program, funds groups "working to improve social outcomes for vulnerable, marginalized and high-risk communities." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Protesters from the Land over Landings organization were not allowed near the announcement site and were kept behind barriers Tuesday, while Finance Minister Jim Flaherty dropped the airport bombshell. RICK MADONIK/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Pickering airport debate flies again

Questioning the need. Experts say demand isn't there and airlines won't want to double up operations

After being parked on the tarmac for more than four decades, plans to build an airport in Pickering have suddenly been revived by the federal government — a move sparking renewed debate over whether another airport is needed.

Finance Minister Jim Flaherty made the surprise announcement Tuesday at an event to mark the creation of the Rouge National Urban Park.

"I'm here to confirm that the uncertainty ends today," Flaherty said. "There will be three uses for the lands. First of all, there will be land set aside for the future airport. Secondly, there will be land for economic development, and finally, there will be considerable green space allocated."

Aviation industry officials say they were given no advance notice of the plan, and Ontario Transportation Minister Glen Murray said he was caught off-guard.

Murray, who was on hand for the park's soil turning, said in an interview that he had just finished thanking Flaherty publicly at the event when the airport bombshell landed.

"They announced they're proceeding with the Pickering airport in some fashion without great clarity, without any heads-up, without any kind of consultation with us, which makes it hard to work together," he said, adding that Ottawa is "blindsiding" the province.

In his remarks, Flaherty referred to the looming closure of the Buttonville airport as well as a needs assessment study conducted by Transport Canada, released in 2011, that said the region will outgrow Pearson as well as secondary airports in Hamilton and Waterloo by 2027 at the earliest, and possibly as late as 2037.

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Another airport?

"It's a dumb idea. There is no demand for that airport. If there was the demand, Hamilton would be a thriving airport."

Fred Lazar, business professor at York University

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Election avoided: NDP back Liberals to pass budget

Ontario legislature.
'You can scream blue murder or you can actually roll up your sleeves and try to make change': NDP leader

The Ontario legislature adjourned for the summer Tuesday after the New Democrats set aside their concerns over the costly cancellation of gas plants and voted for the minority Liberal government's budget, averting a summer election.

Passage of the budget, by a vote of 64-36 with only the Tories opposed, was a major achievement for rookie Premier Kathleen Wynne, who took over as leader of the Liberal party from Dalton McGuinty in February. "I won't deny that I am relieved that we are here," Wynne told reporters after the budget vote.

The NDP has been very critical of the government for the mass deletion of emails pertaining to the cancelling of gas plants in Oakville and Mississauga, but said they had secured enough changes in the budget to support the Liberal fiscal plan. The budget includes NDP proposals for a youth jobs program, a cut in auto insurance premiums, an increase in welfare rates, more money for homecare services and the creation of a new Financial Accountability Officer to help avoid future scandals.

"This measure is needed to stop scandals like the ones that occurred under their watch, like eHealth, like Ornge, like the gas plant scandal, from ever happening again," said NDP Leader Andrea Horwath.

Both the Tories and NDP have accused the Liberals of destroying the emails to cover up the cost of cancelling the gas plants, which has soared to $585 million, far above the $230 million the government had been claiming.

The Ontario Provincial Police last week announced a criminal investigation into the wiping out of email accounts.

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Quoted

"Premier, you're going to thank the leader of the NDP. She's tied herself into a human pretzel just to prop up a corrupt government."
PC Leader Tim Hudak

Chinese dissident's art in T.O.

Toronto City Council has given approval for Circle of Animals/Zodiac Heads, a large-scale sculpture by famed Chinese artist and dissident Ai Weiwei, to be installed in the reflecting pool in Nathan Phillips Square. It precedes, not coincidentally, the Art Gallery of Ontario's display of a large travelling survey of Ai's work, According to What?, which will open at the gallery in August. CARLOS OSORIO/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Mac Bool Hassan

Child abuser dies in apparent suicide

Convicted child abuser Mac Bool Hassan apparently hanged himself rather than face prison time after being found guilty of eight years of repeated sexual assaults on a young girl placed in his care by the Toronto Children's Aid Society. Hassan, 50, was scheduled to attend Superior Court Tuesday to hear sentencing arguments. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Tree-climber

No excessive force used: SIU

The Special Investigations Unit says there are no reasonable grounds to charge a Toronto police officer after Dylan Deziel, 22, suffered a broken collarbone in his arrest after climbing a tree in a Toronto park last month.

The SIU concluded that Deziel put up some form of resistance that led to his being taken to the ground.

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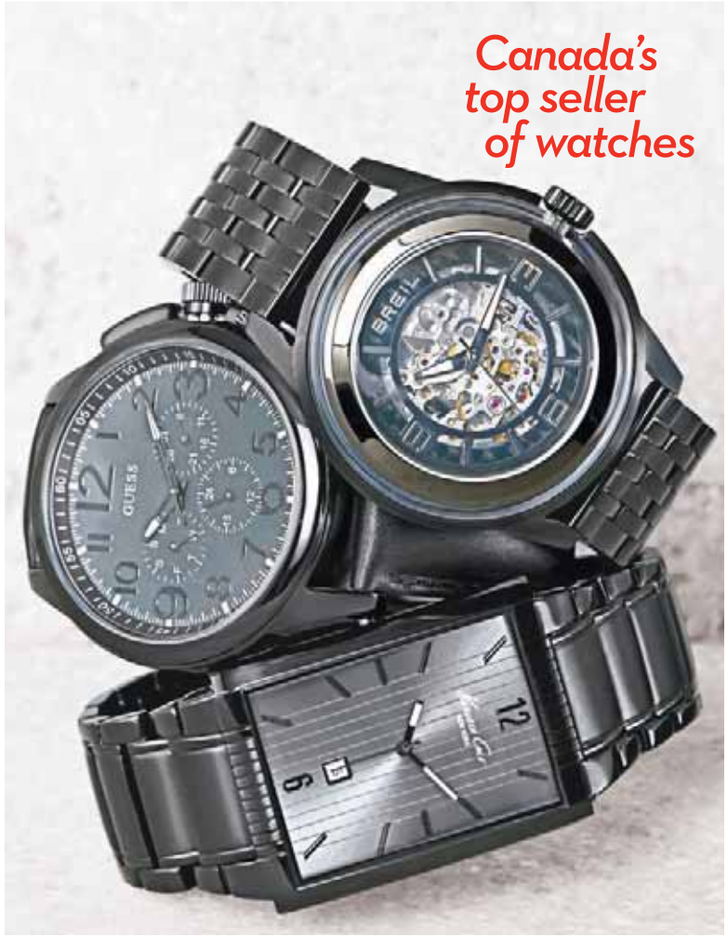

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Birth control pills linked to 23 deaths

Yaz and Yasmin.
Health Canada report claims 600 instances of adverse reactions to popular contraceptives

The birth-control pills Yaz and Yasmin have been linked to the deaths of at least 23 Canadian women, the youngest just 14 years old, Health Canada documents say.

The deaths are among about 600 adverse reactions reported among women taking the contraceptives between 2007 and Feb. 28 of this year, Health Canada confirmed Tuesday.

Doctors and pharmacists who submitted the reports to the Canada Vigilance Program said Yaz and Yasmin are suspected in the 23 deaths. The reports say most of the women died suddenly after developing blood clots, a known risk with the pills.

Since 2007, Health Canada said the program has received reports of adverse reactions among 333 women taking Yasmin and 267 women prescribed Yaz.

Among those cases were 15 deaths linked to Yasmin and eight to Yaz. More than half of the women who died were under age 26, with the youngest being a 14-year-old girl. Most deaths reportedly occurred soon after the women started taking the drugs.

Yaz and Yasmin are both made by Bayer and are often characterized as "newer-generation" birth-control pills. The contraceptives are produced using drospirenone, a synthetic progestin exclusively produced by Bayer.

In 2011, Health Canada issued a warning about the Bayer products, saying that although the risk of blood clots is rare, it is still 1.5 to three times higher with the drospirenone-containing pills than with some other birth control products.

An estimated one in 10,000 women on older-generation contraceptives will develop blood clots; with Yaz and Yasmin, that risk is estimated at three in 10,000.

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Causation vs. correlation

While the pills are suspected in 23 deaths, Health Canada said reports of adverse reactions (AR) can't be interpreted as showing cause and effect.

- "Often it is not possible to determine if an adverse reaction reported to Health Canada is a result of using a specific health product," the department said by email. "Other factors contributing to the AR could be a person's health conditions or other health products ..."
- Bayer says the pills are safe and effective when used as directed.

Protesters take on police in Turkey's Taksim Square

Hundreds of riot police overran improvised barricades at Istanbul's Taksim Square on Tuesday, firing tear gas — as seen here — rubber bullets and water cannons in running battles with protesters who have been occupying the area for more than a week. The police raid, which came on the 12th day of nationwide anti-government protests, sparked clashes with groups of demonstrators well into the afternoon. Many other protesters fled into the adjacent Gezi Park, where hundreds have been camping out to stop developers from cutting down trees in the park. LAM YIK FEI/GETTY IMAGES

Cops sending a message.

Alleged sexting leads to child porn charges for teen

Explicit text messages allegedly from a Calgary teenager to his ex-girlfriend have led police to lay child pornography and harassment charges.

The case, made public by investigators Tuesday morning, relies on a rarely used provision of the Criminal Code of Canada, admitted Alberta Law Enforcement Response Teams (ALERT) Staff Sgt. John Guigon; however, he hopes it sends a message to others.

"Everything you do on the Internet leaves a footprint," Guigon said.

The 15-year-old teen allegedly sent a series of messages both in February and again in late May using an iPod and an account owned by one of his parents.

Guigon said the case also serves as an important example of why parents should pay attention to their child's activities online — at any moment the parents of the accused could have logged into their account and seen the messages, as none were ever deleted.

JEREMY NOLAIS/METRO IN CALGARY

Thwarting liberalism.

Russian lawmakers pass anti-gay education bill

A bill that stigmatizes gay people and bans giving children any information about homosexuality won overwhelming approval Tuesday in Russia's lower house of parliament.

Hours before the State Duma passed the Kremlin-backed law in a 436-0 vote with one abstention, more than two dozen protesters were attacked by hundreds of anti-gay activists and detained by police.

The bill banning the "propaganda of nontraditional sexual relations" still needs to be passed by the appointed upper house and signed into law by President Vladimir Putin, but neither step is in doubt.

The measure is part of an effort to promote traditional Russian values instead of Western liberalism. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Human rights

"Russia is trying very hard to make discrimination look respectable ..."
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NXNE: With a little help from our friends

Since sifting through the 1,000 bands playing this year's North By Northeast festival would require more time on SoundCloud than possible for a normal human being, Metro's Emina Gamulin and Melita Kuburas hit up some in-the-know sources to share their NXNE knowledge:

For the Musician

Mikal Cronin: Cronin's second solo album, MCII, is a sun-drenched, impossibly catchy collection of California garage rock that is sweet summer listening that requires no effort to love. The Silver Dollar Room will surely descend into a sweaty, frothing mess in no time, which is a good thing.

The National: What really makes this worth it for me will be watching how The Brooklyn five-piece's introspective, often-acerbic compositions play in the high-profile, open-air time slot at Dundas Square. Super fans will surely eat it up, but how will casual, walk-up listeners respond?

The Danks: This foursome from Charlottetown do impeccably-crafted pop rock that sits nicely alongside your Strokes, Tokyo Police Club and Vampire Weekend records.

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For the Veteran

Social Distortion: These guys are classic punk with a country/rockabilly edge. They're being supported by a good band called Old Man Markley, which could be described as the Mumford and Sons of punk.

Ludacris: Ludacris is the big name on the hip-hop side, but honestly he hasn't been very relevant since the earlier '00s. However, he still brings an arsenal of hits with him. A younger more contemporary name is Joey Bada$$, who is pretty hot right now.

Evan Dando: '90s nostalgia is evident in the continued festival presence of Evan Dando of the Lemonheads and Seattle rockers the Supersonics. I think Hayden might qualify for this too, but he's Canadian and people still really like him.

The buzz: Braids, Coeur de Pirate and maybe We Are Scientists.

Weirdest show: Shadowy Men on a Shadowy Planet (they did the theme song to Kids in the Hall) playing at PEARSON AIRPORT TERMINAL 1? Bizarre.

JASON KELLER IS A FORMER MUSIC WRITER FOR NOW MAGAZINE. IF HE SOUNDS A LITTLE JADED, IT'S BECAUSE HE'S COVERED A LOT OF NXNEs.

For the Critic

Dan Deacon: Besides touring in a van that runs on vegetable oil and scoring music for Francis Ford Coppola, this Baltimore-based electronic musician is known for his epic live shows. Deacon prefers playing amongst the crowd over being on stage, creating a crazy-good dynamic atmosphere. Pretty much a guaranteed good time.

Murderecords Party: Remember the Halifax explosion? It's been 21 years since Sloan released their EP Peppermint that debuted the label. They'll be at the Great Hall Friday night, along with fellow labelmates Super Friendz and Mike O'Neill of the Inbreds.

159 Manning BBQ 2013: Don't Trust Anyone Under 30: Now in its fifth year, while this barbecue is not exactly an officially sanctioned NXNE event, it has become a fixture of the festival weekend. Toronto's own Choir!Choir!Choir! will raise their voices to the sky and alt hip-hop artist Buck 65 will headline. Interested parties can find the details on Facebook.

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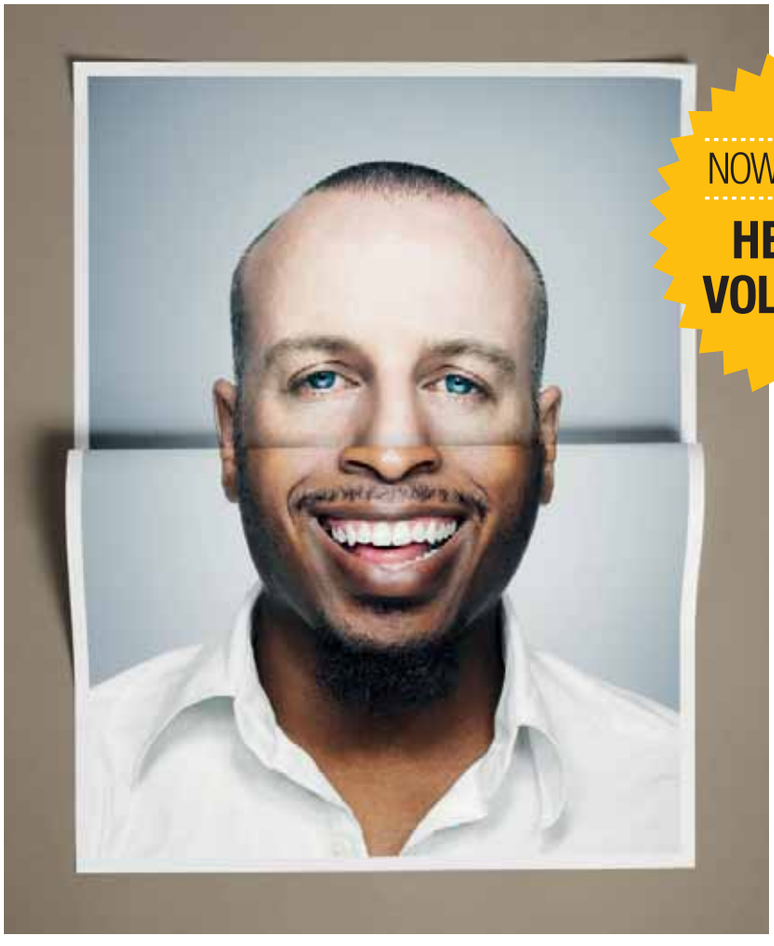

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MELISSA AUF DER MAUR

In the ’90s and early 2000s, often only a handful of women played and sang on stage during enormous festivals like Big Day Out. This multi-talented Canadian was one of them. Ahead of her NXNE Interactive panel, she speaks with Metro’s Melita Kuburas

WOMEN IN ROCK ’N’ ROLL

We’re used to seeing Melissa Auf der Maur with a firm grip on her bass, but when reached by phone this week she was instead holding on to her sleepy daughter.

“I’m travelling with child, so no matter what it’s gonna be a little hectic,” said Auf der Maur, as her one-and-a-half year old napped on her lap in a cab headed for the airport in New York City.

The Montreal-born musician and artist will be in Toronto Thursday to head a NXNE panel discussing women in music. A hectic touring schedule was part of her life in the ’90s and 2000s, during which she was a member of alt-rock bands Hole and The Smashing Pumpkins, before going solo. But for the past year, she’s been focusing on motherhood and running an art centre and performance space in upstate New York, where she lives.

Quoted

“Everything was a bit fantastical. It also was the dream of the ’90s ... things were so flushed with stupid money it was unbelievably easy to be in a big rock band.”

Melissa Auf der Maur, about the alt-rock heyday

While being a mom hasn’t changed the way she thinks about music, motherhood does bring with it “a new massive emotional context to everything I do.”

Watching footage of Auf der Maur around the time Hole was touring for their album Celebrity Skin, the fair-skinned redhead always came across as the poised complement to Courtney Love’s untamed energy.

Much of what made Love such a provocative rock and roll figure was her overt sexuality, but Auf der Maur says this is low on her list to discuss about her observations on women in music during the “dream of the ’90s” period.

“Look at it now, oh-my-God, all the sex maniacs! They’re like, crazier than ever,” she jokes, adding that it just goes without saying that sexuality is exploited in the mainstream to sell product — not just within the music industry.

“I don’t really compartmentalize sexuality in particular because like motherhood, sexuality is just wrapped up in everyone.”

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Mayor proposes $20B plan to protect N.Y.C.

Storms and floods. Levees, removable walls, flood gates part of Bloomberg's ambitious proposals

Removable flood walls would be set up for much of lower Manhattan, a levee up to six metres would guard part of Staten Island and a system of gates and levees would protect a Brooklyn creek as part of a nearly $20-billion plan that Mayor Michael Bloomberg proposed Tuesday to transform how New York City girds itself for storms and global warming.

Bloomberg's proposals also include building dunes on Staten Island and the Rockaways, firming up the shoreline with bulkheads in various neighbourhoods and building a levee and new "Seaport City" development at the South Street Seaport that would echo nearby Battery Park City.

The mayor is also suggesting giving $1.2 billion in grants to property owners to flood-proof their buildings and $50 million to nursing homes to improve theirs; making hospitals even in rarely flooded areas upgrade their pumps and electrical equipment; and expanding beaches and marshes, among other ideas. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

An unsettling future

By the 2050s, it's projected, 800,000 people in New York City could be living in a flood zone that would cover one-quarter of the land.

Lower Manhattan is visible from the Staten Island Ferry on Tuesday.
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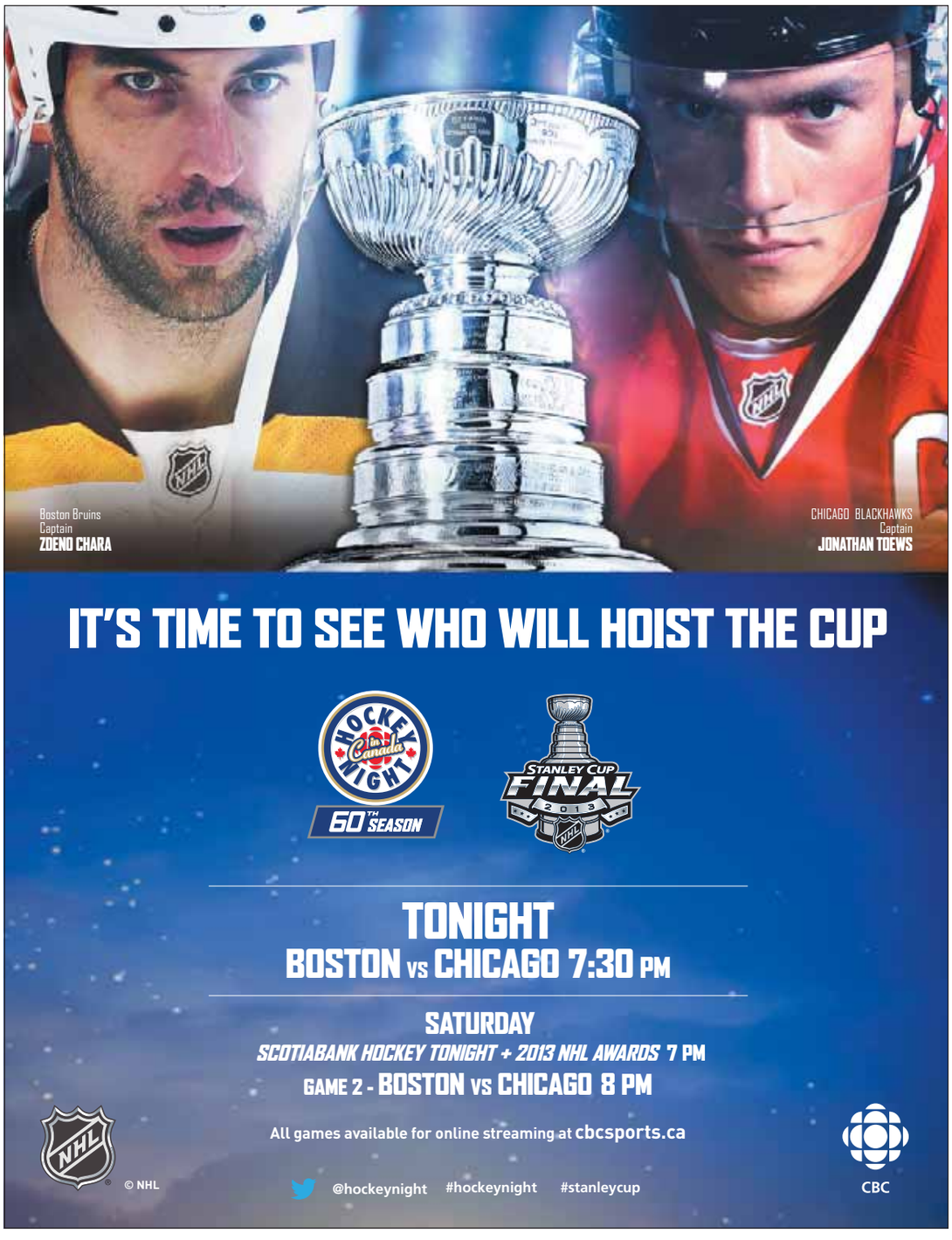

Cheeky problem

Town to ban droopy drawers on boardwalk

Mayor Ernest Troiano Jr. thinks he's found a way to put one of this Jersey shore resort town's problems behind it. Wildwood is set to pass a law Wednesday regulating how people dress on its boardwalk. But the provision that has gained widespread attention is a prohibition on pants that sag more than 3 inches below the hips.
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Meatless Mondays

Meat sales surge for Vancouver butcher shop

Vancouver's West Broadway Meat Co. saw a 15 per cent increase in sales Monday, the same day the city encouraged Vancouverites to eat vegetarian in support of a global movement called Meatless Mondays. The trend was fuelled by a public butchering of a 350-pound water buffalo, attended by a crowd of animal-rights protesters.
ELIZABETH HAMES/FOR METRO

Squirrels untwirled

The Animal Clinic of Regina got a surprise this week when a city worker brought in six squirrels fused together by their tails. Although uncommon, the veterinarian community has a term for it — squirrel king — since the rodents move together as one giant squirrel when their tails are entangled. The animals were sedated, as seen above, their tails were separated and afterwards their tails were shaved of matted fur and cleaned, as seen below. ANIMAL CLINIC OF REGINA/FACEBOOK

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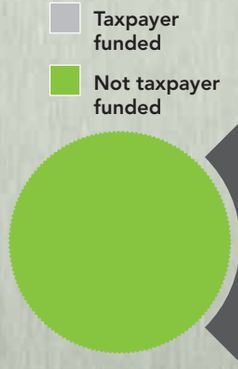

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Warehouse system

LCBO contract is a year late, $425K over budget

An LCBO contract to create an automated warehouse system for keg beer and speciality products is more than a year overdue and $425,000 over budget.

The system was competitively tendered in 2011, with the contract originally awarded to Tecsys Inc. for $1.55 million. "Tecsys ended up being the winner, both in overall capacity and in price," LCBO's Hugh Kelly, senior vice president of information technology, said in July 2011 after six firms bid on the contract.

Almost two years later the system isn't in place. The IT department had to go back to the LCBO's board to ask for another $425,000 in unexpected costs.

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What's an average TV binge? Four episodes

A viewer starts up Netflix on an iPad. The average binge-watching session on a weeknight is four straight episodes of a show, a new study says. GETTY IMAGES FILE

Glued to the couch.

Marathon viewing is 'transformational' trend in television industry

Canadians' growing appetite for binging on episodes of their favourite TV shows represents a "transformational" trend that's shaking up the industry, says Rogers, which released the results of an online poll Tuesday.

In the survey of 1,275 Canadians conducted by Head Research, viewers were asked how many episodes of a show they went through consecutively during a binge-watching session on a weeknight or on a weekend. The average during the week was four straight episodes, and 4.6 on weekends.

The figures weren't surprising to David Purdy, Rogers' senior vice-president of content, who said binge-viewing is a major trend the company is paying close attention to.

"We're kind of in the beginning of what we think is a major transformational stage in the TV world, so we have a ton of questions and we're doing a lot of research these days," Purdy said, noting that young people in particular have been identified as big fans of marathon viewing.

When asked how many episodes of a show they watched consecutively during a viewing binge, the respondents, who were 34 and younger, averaged 5.4 episodes on a weeknight and 6.6 episodes on a weekend. Among those 55 and older, the averages were 3.2 on a weeknight and 3.3 episodes on a weekend. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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CEO's exit marks 'time of turmoil'

Lululemon. Christine Day's surprise departure comes as retailer looks to next stage of expansion

The fallout from the latest wardrobe malfunction at Lululemon Athletica Inc. continued Tuesday as the stock plunged following news that the woman who helped build the company's reputation plans to depart.

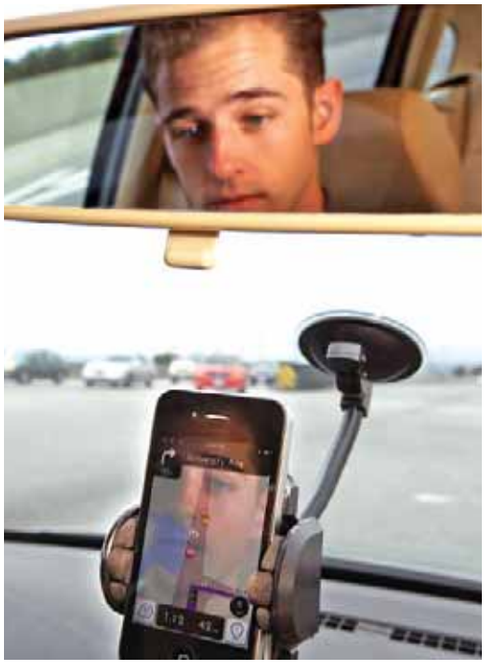
Chief executive Christine Day's announcement late Monday came as a surprise to most and overshadowed better-than-expected earnings at the athletic clothing retailer.

BMO Capital Markets analyst John Morris said the company is now in the midst of a "time of turmoil and change" as it prepares for the next stage in its expansion while fixing some past problems.

Lululemon has soared to a level of unprecedented success in recent years by exploiting a retail category that was practically untapped when it first hit the scene. Much of the growth was encouraged by Day, who took an active role in building the company with a grassroots marketing campaign that rallied customers with in-store yoga classes and community events. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Pants problem

- Problems with quality control — including a recall this year of black Luon yoga pants that were too sheer — have raised questions about whether Christine Day was the right person to lead a global expansion of the firm into China and Europe.



What's a Waze worth? If you're Google, a cool $1B

Ben Gleitzman uses a traffic and navigation app called Waze on his iPhone as he drives to work in Menlo Park, Calif., in this March 2012 photo. Google is buying Waze in a $1.03-billion US deal that keeps a potentially valuable tool away from its rivals while gaining technology that could improve the accuracy of its own popular navigation system, the company said Tuesday. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

Employment forecast

Hiring outlook for third quarter is less rosy than year ago: Survey

The latest Manpower Employment Outlook survey found that Canadian hiring prospects for the third quarter are slightly less positive than a year ago.

The survey is based on interviews with more than 1,900 employers in Canada. It found that 21 per cent of respondents expected to add employees in the July-September quarter.

That's down two percentage points from 23 per cent in the survey covering the third quarter of 2012.

The transportation and public utilities sector showed the most positive hiring outlook, and manufacturers showed the least positive hiring intentions. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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So if you're me and you rely on Microsoft Exchange for your email, and download it onto your iPhone and iPad, the police are recording every etc., and they're doing it over and over again on multiple servers.

JUST SAYIN'

Paul Sullivan
metronews.ca

They must be sick of me by now.

But let me tell you, not as sick of me as I am of them. And here's why:

1) "They" (Big Brother, The Man, The Police, Sting, whatever) have all this information and they still can't prevent a couple of terrorist-goofs from some obscure former Soviet Republic from blowing up the Boston Marathon. The more we learn about these two, the more it was obvious they were a threat to themselves and anyone not on their freakish wavelength — and the NSA was all over their freakish wavelength. So where are we going with this?

2) "They" tell nobody nothing, er, anything. They have secret court orders compelling Internet and phone companies to fork over data, the details of which remain secret. If some guy named Edward Snowden hadn't decided to go public with this information, we'd still be accessing the Sports Illustrated Online Swimsuit Edition in a fool's paradise of assumed privacy. Meanwhile, the Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives calls Snowden a "traitor" for his pains. Let me just say: Ed, this fool thinks you're a hero.

3) "They" appear to answer to no one except the President, and he doesn't care. Nobody is listening to your telephone calls, says Obama. They're only monitoring them for the numbers called and the duration. Oh, is that all. Fortunately, I haven't made any hour-long calls to Kyrgyzstan lately.

4) "They" are proving just because you're a conspiracy theorist, that doesn't mean they're not out to get you. Paranoia is just another word for: You think you've got nothing left to lose? You don't really know, do you?

5) "They" rule the world. Knowledge is power. All knowledge is all power. You think Google's a killer program? Imagine what they're running at the NSA. I'm just so glad the Taliban aren't in charge at the NSA.

At least, I don't think they are…

ZOOM

Jesus Christ, breakdance superstar

MATT CARDY/GETTY IMAGES

Sacred street art

A giant mural depicting a breakdancing Jesus — shown here with its artist, Cosmo Sarson — has been unveiled in Bristol, England. Breakdancing Jesus, which took four days to paint and involved a kilo of glitter, was inspired by an event in the Vatican in 2004 where breakdancers performed to an applauding Pope John Paul II. METRO

Q and A

Two cultures fuse

COSMO SARSON
Graffiti artist

You drew inspiration from breakdancers who performed for Pope John Paul II. But what's the message behind your mural?

It's not intended to be any sort of religious propaganda — it's meant to be humorous. In a way, the mural is poking fun at Western religion. However, even within Christianity, at the wedding at Cana for instance, there would have been dancing. I would say it's a fusion of two cultures: the world of hip hop, which breakdancing is a part of, and Christianity.

You could say the mural is a modern take of an amazing Christ, no?

Yeah, I would be really pleased with that interpretation. I think if John Paul II were alive today and saw this, he would love it.

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With news that the U.S. government has been snooping on your favourite Internet services, Metro takes a look at some alternatives to help you keep your business to yourself.

Twitter:

Although nearly as popular as Facebook, the 140-character service wasn't included on the list of companies being data-mined by Uncle Sam. As well, the Electronic Frontier Foundation recently gave the site full marks for protecting its users from government monitoring.

DuckDuckGo:

Launched in 2008 as a competitor to Google, this little search engine doesn't collect any data on its users.

Ubuntu Phone:

With Apple and Android phones crossed off the list, there's always BlackBerry. However, if you're not a fan of the company formerly known as RIM, give Ubuntu Phone a spin. It's based on the most popular version of the Linux operating system, and could be available for certain handsets this fall.

Letters

RE: Why The !@#$ Can't I Swear? Published June 11

I am surprised that she cannot figure out that it is inappropriate to swear in a family restaurant with kids present! I was in the military for 21 years and can swear better than most, but I'm smart enough to figure out when and where to do it.

As for the father who reprimanded Jessica and her BF, good for him.

Her comments are a representation of everything that is wrong with this world; that people are too self-centred and don't care about anyone else, even when they are wrong.

Jeff Taylor, Ottawa

Jessica Napier seems to suggest that foul language in public places is an acceptable norm and her recent reprimand by a father at an adjacent table at a restaurant was an over-the-top reaction in today's world.

Yes I agree. Foul language seems to be an accepted norm in many young people's communication, but I don't agree it is a step for the better or part of a licence to free speech. As she says, it often comes from laziness and probably from a lack of, dare I say, more appropriate language skills. I, for one, don't wish to hear swearing in a restaurant, on buses, in malls, or anywhere else just because 20 somethings can get away with it.

Bob Hawkins, Ottawa

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Sensitivity behind the Steel

Interview. The new Superman speaks to Metro about how this superhero is vulnerable and realistic — as real as someone who flies, at least

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Henry Cavill's real super power is handling crazed fans with a relative ease. GETTY IMAGES

Iron Man gets the best jokes. Batman gets the best films. Wonder Woman gets the best plane (invisible!). Now 75-years-old, the galaxy's most famous Kryptonian is back in Man of Steel, a grounded take on the icon, directed by Zack Watchmen Snyder.

In the film — an origin story — the young alien is scuttled to Earth, grows up, meets a girl (Amy Adams) and defends our planet from the evil General Zod (Michael Shannon).

He also mopes around. A lot. In a tonal continuation of The Dark Knight series, our hero has feelings, and they add an extra dimension that the creators (including producer Christopher Nolan) hope make the character less boring and more relevant.

Henry Cavill, a British actor best known for TV's The Tudors, stars as the Man of Steel. In a one on one, we asked him why he's not so steely after all.

We've gone from square-jawed demigods to heroes that have to show vulnerability or a flaw. What do you think of that progression?
Well, when they were initially conceived, we needed them — desperately. We needed them to be strong-jawed superheroes — the classic hands-on-hips, nothing can touch me, bullets bouncing off them. I mean, when Superman first came around we were out of First World War, and Second World War is sort of creeping up and we needed those guys who could flit around the place and do wonderful things, and we could fantasize about all the world's problems being solved.

And now?
And now they've evolved into a more modern, more realistic thing to go with the times, so that the stories are still interesting. People these days don't find the immovable object interesting — the untouchable thing and the hero who will always win. We want to think that maybe our hero will lose, but then he wins. We must be able to associate with them. They've become less of a fantasy and more of an ideal to strive towards.

What do you think audiences need from superheroes now?
It's the same thing we've always needed, which is that sense of hope. There's always something going wrong in the world. It just shifts depending on the generation. And it's always nice to have that fantasy of there's someone who's going to fix everything. It's beating the odds, and that's been the same with mythological characters since the dawn of time, since we could think up gods — good gods and bad gods. Nothing has changed in the human psyche. We still need that.

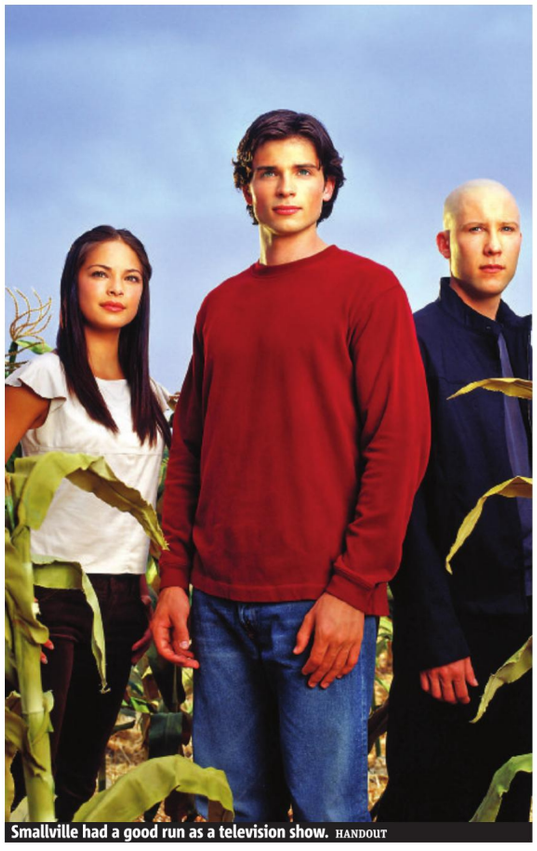
What has Man of Steel done to make him more relatable?
We've given him a very human essence. As much as he's not susceptible to the frailties of the human physical body, he's very much susceptible to the frailties of the human psyche, and that is what really makes us in touch with someone else, makes us go, 'I know your pain' or, 'Yeah, I've felt that happy before.' That's how we associate with people, and in this we've brought that to the character.

The Dark Knight director Christopher Nolan produced Man of Steel and has made the DC Comics world feel tethered to reality more than to cartoons.
It ties in very much with the evolution of the superhero. We need to see them in a real-world setting. It helps us to feel more and to be a part of the story if we base it in realism, and that's important to me. I've never played this sort of, 'OK, I'm going to talk (in a low, gravelly voice) all of a sudden.' If I heard someone talking that way, I'd look at them funny.

Henry who?

- **Age.** 30
- **From.** Jersey, off the coast of Normandy (he's British)
- **You know him from.** The Tudors
- **He was considered for.** Cedric Diggory in Harry Potter; Edward Cullen in Twilight; James Bond in Casino Royale; Superman in Superman Returns
- **How being an actor is like being Superman.** "It's a lonely existence, and that I could pour straight into the character. And also that search for acceptance."
- **Did Man of Steel soar or fall to earth with critics?** Go to Metronews.ca to read Metro's very own Matt Prigge's review of the newest Superman movie. Pick up Metro this Friday to get the Reel Guys' unique and funny take on the film.

The many faces of Superman


Smallville had a good run as a television show. HANDOUT

Not the only one left from his planet. There have been many incarnations of the superhero character, but they always have a common thread

IN FOCUS
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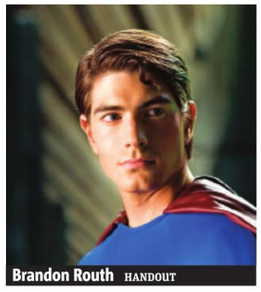
Superman is one of the most famous characters in all of pop culture and yet very few actors have played the Metropolis Marvel.

This weekend in Man of Steel the square-jawed Henry Cavill becomes the latest to bring the Last Son of Krypton to life on the big screen, joining a list that dates back to 1941 when Mel Blanc voiced the superhero in a cartoon called Goofy Groceries.

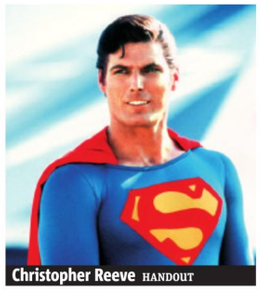
Bud Collyer next voiced Superman in a series of animated Oscar-nominated short films. The actor played the character three separate times: on the radio, in this series and the late 1960s cartoon show The New Adventures of Superman.


Brandon Routh HANDOUT

The Collyer years brought with them some innovations to the character.

In June 1943, when the actor took some time off, the radio show's writers came up with the idea of kryptonite to explain his absence. While Bud sunned himself, the Big S was held prisoner under a sheet of the radioactive element.

Six years later the comic books adopted the toxic ore and it has been part of Superman's story ever since.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Animators on the original series felt that Superman's ability to leap buildings in a single bound looked strange on screen, so with Detective Comics Inc.'s permission, they had him fly instead.

The first live-action Supermen were Kirk Alyn and George Reeves. Alyn was a Broadway actor who played the Man of Tomorrow in Atom Man vs. Superman, reportedly the highest grossing American movie serial ever, but couldn't sustain a career in film after he retired the cape. In 1981 he starred in a spoof called Superbman: The Other Movie, partially set on Planet Krapton.

Typecast

Christopher Reeve, who was paralyzed after a horse riding accident, and passed away in 2004, once asked Sean Connery how to avoid being typecast.

- **Connery said.** "First you have to be good enough that they ask you to play it again and again."

George Reeves became a mega star playing Superman in 102 episodes of Adventures of Superman, but later felt his popularity as the character inhibited his ability to earn more serious roles. The Reeves biopic Hollywoodland, starring Ben Affleck, examines the actor's life and mysterious death.

Others played Superman — John Newton, Gerard Christopher, Dean Cain, Tom Welling, and Brandon Routh — with varying degrees of success, but the best-known has to be Christopher Reeve, who starred in four Big Blue movies between 1978 to 1987.

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Myth of abundance

Despite previous statistics you may have heard about, Canada has only 6.5 per cent of the world's water supply — much less than Brazil and Russia. PAVELS/VEER

We aren't as flush with water as we think we are

ANDRÉ VOSHART
Water Canada

That statistic you may have heard before — that Canada holds 20 per cent of the world's fresh water — may be too good to be true. According to a leading water expert, we are not as flush with water as we think we are.

"The myth of limitless abundance is the notion that Canadians have maintained that we have more water than anyone else in the world, and that we will never run out of it," says Robert Sandford, author of Cold Matters: The State and Fate of Canada's Freshwater.

Canada has only 6.5 per cent of the world's supply — much less than Brazil and Russia and about the same as the United States.

"This myth allows us not to think about how we use water and what we do to it," Sandford says. "We turn on our taps and we expect it to be there."

He adds that the myth is perpetuated by reliable water supplies in urban areas and very cheap costs for delivery. More than two-thirds of the nation's fresh water is in the north, while 80 per cent of the population is in the south, where its needs are concentrated.

The perception of the Great Lakes as an infinite supply of fresh water is also skewed. Sierra Club Canada reports that, on average, only one per cent of the lakes' water is renewed annually by precipitation and inflow from rivers and groundwater.

"There are times when we don't have enough water to maintain agriculture, meet human water needs, (meet) industrial demands, and still keep the Great Lakes at levels necessary to permit optimal conditions for shipping," Sandford says.

Climate change is also beginning to have an enormous influence on the water supply, melting much of the "post-glacial hydrological wealth" in the Arctic and other northern regions. Additionally, Sandford says climate change is rearing its head in other ways. Since a warmer atmosphere holds more water and water levels are declining due to evaporation (such as in the Great Lakes), this increased vapour then fuels more extreme weather events.

The nation's water is on the move and Sandford explains it may not be there when we need it.

"As we can no longer take water for granted, we would be wise to dispel the myth of its limitless abundance."

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Singing in the rain

KERRY FREEK
Water Canada

In the natural water cycle, water seeps into the ground, evaporates into plants and the air, and makes its way to nearby waterways.

But where does rain go after a storm in the city?

A paved urban landscape changes the natural process. Water flows into storm drains, along the way collecting the garbage, road salt, and bacteria that pollutes our water. Storms can also cause overflows in sewers that weren't built to manage heavy rain. A 2012 national infrastructure report card estimates it would cost $15.8 billion to replace Canada's poor stormwater infrastructure.

When sewers overflow, there's a greater chance of flooded basements in homes and businesses. More frequent and heavier storms have made water damage the leading cause of insurance claims in Canada. The cost to taxpayers is steep, too — every year, billions of dollars are spent repairing the damage.

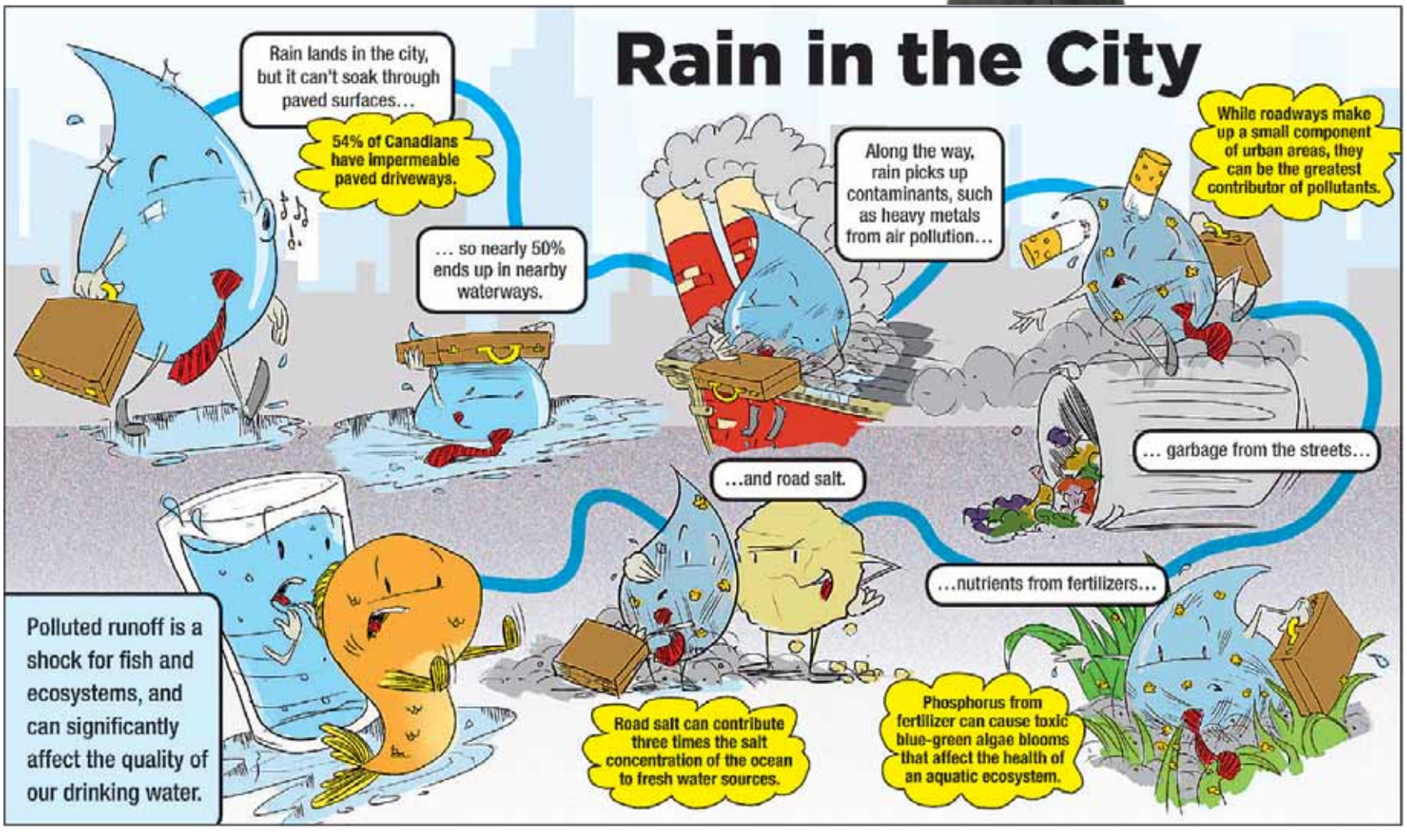
"We should all care, whether we're property owners or renters," says Christine Zimmer, manager of protection and restoration at Credit Valley Conservation in Ontario.

Zimmer offers these suggestions to make a difference:

1 Disconnect your downspout. "Roof downspouts are often directly connected to storm sewers. Disconnecting them and leading the water to rain barrels or rain gardens can help reduce instances of basement flooding," she says.

2 Make paved areas as small as possible. According to the 2013 RBC Canadian Water Attitudes study, 60 per cent of 18-34-year-olds would give up a paved driveway to help water management.

3 Use less fertilizer or none at all. Run-off collects nutrients from fertilizers, such as nitrogen and phosphorus, which can cause toxic algae blooms in waterways and result in a weakened aquatic ecosystem and more frequent beach closures.


Rain in the City
Rain lands in the city, but it can't soak through paved surfaces…
54% of Canadians have impermeable paved driveways.
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…nutrients from fertilizers…
Polluted runoff is a shock for fish and ecosystems, and can significantly affect the quality of our drinking water.
Road salt can contribute three times the salt concentration of the ocean to fresh water sources.
Phosphorus from fertilizer can cause toxic blue-green algae blooms that affect the health of an aquatic ecosystem.

Leaky business

Down the drain. Homeowners can be paying unwanted costs due to faulty faucets, toilets

KERRY FREEK
Water Canada

A faucet leaking 60 drops a minute can waste up to 8,703 litres of water in one year, but can cost pennies to fix. PAUL FLEET/VEER

Are you more likely to repair an Internet connection or a leaky faucet? According to the 2013 RBC Canadian Water Attitudes Study, 75 per cent of Canadians would choose to call tech support before they dial the plumber.

But while you may lose a few hours of surfing without your Wi-Fi, you could be throwing away dollars on wasted water. Studies have found that homes can lose up to 76 cubic metres of water per year due to leaks. That's the volume of 76 small bar fridges.

Want to clear your water-wasting conscience? Here's how to locate and fix minor leaks.

• **Check your water bill.** If your bill is higher than usual and you think your household water use has remained more or less the same, it might be time to check for leaks. Don't worry — while some leaks require professional attention, not all have to end with an expensive invoice. For a list of reasons to call the plumber, visit bit.ly/TUwpnc.

• **Put a stop to dripping faucets.** A faucet leaking 60 drops a minute can waste up to 8,703 litres of water in one year, but can cost pennies to fix. Worn out washers may be the cause, and most hardware stores carry faucet repair kits that illustrate how to replace a washer. EPCOR, Edmonton's water utility, has videos on how to replace single- and double-stem faucets. Visit bit.ly/18EFUP2.

• **Listen for leaky toilets.** According to Environment Canada, a toilet that continues to run after flushing can waste up to 200,000 litres of water in one year. If you suspect a leak, add a few drops of food colouring to the tank. If the colour appears in the bowl, you could have a loose flapper valve. For a video demonstrating how to replace flapper valves at a low cost, see bit.ly/11IbVFL. Note: If the leak is around the base of the toilet, it's time to call a professional.

Keep in mind that leaks aren't always easy to find. If you suspect a leak but can't locate the source, call your utility and ask for a residential water audit.

Greywater use gaining waves of support

ANDRÉ VOSHART
Water Canada

New technologies are helping green-minded citizens and developers curb Canada's wasteful water ways, including recycling "greywater," the waste water from showers, baths, and other sources not contaminated with sewage. VALUA VITALY/VEER

In many homes across Canada, all water is created equal — the water used to wash hair, flush toilets, and rinse dishes all comes from the same source. However, new technologies are helping green-minded citizens and developers curb Canada's wasteful water ways.

One approach looks at recycling "greywater," the waste water from showers, baths, and other sources not contaminated with sewage. Homeowners and builders can install greywater reuse systems, which will reclaim and purify the lightly used water in order to flush toilets. They are already in place in parts of the world where potable (drinkable) water is scarce, like the southwestern United States and Australia.

"To flush a toilet, you don't need the purist, filtered, pH-adjusted, UV-disinfected, and ozonated (or chlorinated) water in the world," says Chris Higgins of the Canada Green Building Council, an organization that certifies Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) homes. He says flushing a toilet accounts for between a third and a quarter of water use in the average home, and "most clear, odour-free water will work."

He says a Canada-wide adoption of reuse systems is low, but growing.

"Areas with high water cost are much more likely to adopt greywater reuse strategies," he says.

For example, Higgins lives in Vancouver, where his single-family home has no water meter, so he pays the same amount no matter how much he uses. But other municipalities present citizens with more of a reason to be water conscious: Edmonton charges both for water use by the litre and sewage by the litre, so in that case, "there are monthly cost savings using greywater," he says.

City planners in Guelph, Ont., have a goal to lower water use by 20 per cent by 2025. Wayne Galliher, the city's water conservation project manager, says new homes were using on average more water than homes 30 years their age and that's the reason the city launched Blue Built Homes, an initiative to encourage local builders to promote water efficiency in new buildings. In a study of the city's greywater systems, 25 participants were monitored, and average water demands dropped by 22.6 litres per capita per day.

You can reuse it

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Smart meter measurements are more accurate, resulting in water bills that better reflect actual use. This will allow customers to fully understand how their household activities — including watering the garden and doing laundry — impact the bottom line. VEER PHOTOS

Tapping into smart billing

Next evolution. Smart meters are changing the way Canadians are thinking about water use

KERRY FREEK
Water Canada

In the old days, you received a water bill — likely one based on a flat rate — and paid it, no matter how much water you used.

If your city had meters — more than one-third of Canadian households still don't — you might be billed for the actual volume of water you consumed, but it would be too late to understand and adjust your consumption patterns. Not only that, it might take several billing cycles to figure out if your home had a pesky, water-wasting leak.

"For years, it's been 'get water bill, pay bill, get water, consume water,'" says Norm Daigle, executive vice-president of Harris Utilities SmartWorks.

The next evolution — smart metering — is changing the way Canadians think about their consumption.

With smart meters, measurements are more accurate, resulting in bills that better reflect actual use. Savvy utilities are taking things one step further, making those bills transparent and accessible in near real-time, so customers can fully understand how their household activities impact the bottom line.

Harris Utilities is one company that offers dynamic metering and billing services. With their software, utilities can provide customers with online reports that display details about their consumption patterns so they can monitor and adjust use accordingly.

Customers can play with the data, creating scenarios that demonstrate how performing different activities at different times might save money. They can compare current use to years, months, and even days prior. Some utilities even offer a tool to compare use to similar households, and provide tips on how to use water more efficiently and economically.

Utilities are also breaking down water use in more meaningful measurements. "With mobile phone billing, we know what a minute means," Daigle says. "But what's a cubic metre? Is it equivalent to watering my lawn? Feedback like that helps customers better understand their water use."

Ultimately, smart metering is about empowering the consumer. Gone are the days of the flat rate and vague bills.

"Dynamic billing brings the customers into the picture," Daigle says. "At the end of the day, it's customers who are making the decision to turn the taps on or off. They should be participants in achieving conservation objectives — that's the sweet spot."

Game of thirst

Water scarcity and severe droughts bring big conflicts to cities, but most of us aren't ready for such events, and some don't even want to think about it.

So how do you engage people on such a serious topic? Make it fun, but keep it meaningful.

Last fall, British Columbia's Okanagan Water Basin Board (OBWB) proved it had the right idea. In partnership with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) and the B.C. Ministry of Environment, OBWB brought together key players in government, as well as regional water suppliers, and reps from the agriculture, fisheries, and ranching communities to participate in a game about municipal thirst.

Facing drought is a growing necessity. In the United States, drought ranks second or third of natural disasters, depending on the year, in terms of economic impact. In Canada, dry periods are becoming more frequent and prolonged.

In the game, teams considered several scenarios with varying degrees of drought, quickly learning that any choice would impact water supply and, depending on how the scenarios are managed, could increase or reduce conflict within the community.

They also learned success comes down to collaboration, says Nelson Jatel of OBWB.

"In these situations, it's critical to communicate clearly and work together. The game allowed us to think through some of the complex partnerships that are key to surviving a drought." KERRY FREEK

EVERY DROP OF WATER COUNTS

MARCO LENSI/VEER

When a city faces a water problem, it's serious.

In May, a Montreal boil water advisory made headlines when it affected the availability of drinking water for more than 1.3 million people for two days. A few days later, a heavy downpour closed Toronto's Don Valley Parkway during morning rush hour, stalling the major route into the downtown business district. For the past few summers, cities in Canada's West have required emergency conservation bylaws during prolonged drought. The list continues.

With projections for more frequent and severe impacts of climate change and an increasingly urbanized population — some say 80 per cent of the world will live in cities by 2030 — experts are expecting a great deal of stress on water management and supply.

Lynn Patterson, RBC's director of corporate responsibility, says that's one of the reasons why the RBC Blue Water Project recently changed its focus to support initiatives that help protect water in urban centres.

"So many people live and work in cities or urbanized areas, and they depend on water sources that are increasingly under stress," she says. "We must ensure that our water is swimmable, fishable and drinkable now and for generations to come because every drop of water counts."

Patterson says it can often feel like environmental problems are too big for individuals to solve. And sometimes they are.

"But individuals, families, and businesses can have an immediate impact on water. We can pick up litter, plan water-friendlier landscaping and fix leaking taps and pipes — simple changes in behaviour that actually make a difference right now."

In its first five years, the $50-million RBC Blue Water Project had a broad scope, awarding more than half of its funding commitment to projects that focused on watershed protection. RBC's support for more than 500 organizations around the world includes almost 200 programs for elementary school students, 33 museum and gallery exhibits about water, 36 programs for farmers, and 44 programs to help Aboriginal people.

"We've done a lot of good work so far," Patterson says.

With this new focus, she hopes the RBC Blue Water Project will be able to reach even more people while addressing a significant emerging problem.

– Kerry Freek, Water Canada

HANDS-ON PROJECTS HELP INSPIRE THE PUBLIC

THE LIVING CITY FOUNDATION AIMS TO MAKE GTA A HEALTHIER PLACE

The Living City Foundation aims to make the greater Toronto region a "cleaner, greener, healthier place to live" by raising funds that support the hands-on conservation work of Toronto and Region Conservation (TRCA) in initiatives that protect, educate and inspire the public.

TRCA is one of the largest landowners in the region, with more than 44,000 acres of protected green space, including Black Creek Pioneer Village, the Kortright Centre for Conservation, and Tommy Thompson Park.

Thanks to support from the RBC Blue Water Project, the organization has been able to develop and complete many projects that focus on watershed sustainability in the TRCA's jurisdiction. Together, they have implemented a new water systems education program and are currently developing a multimedia RBC Blue Water Project exhibit to be installed at the Living City campus at Kortright Centre in Woodbridge. This year's grant will also fund extensions of the Sustainable Neighbourhood Retrofit Action Plan program, an urban renewal model that aims to protect and restore waterways, improve water quality, and improve management of storm and rain water in urban areas.

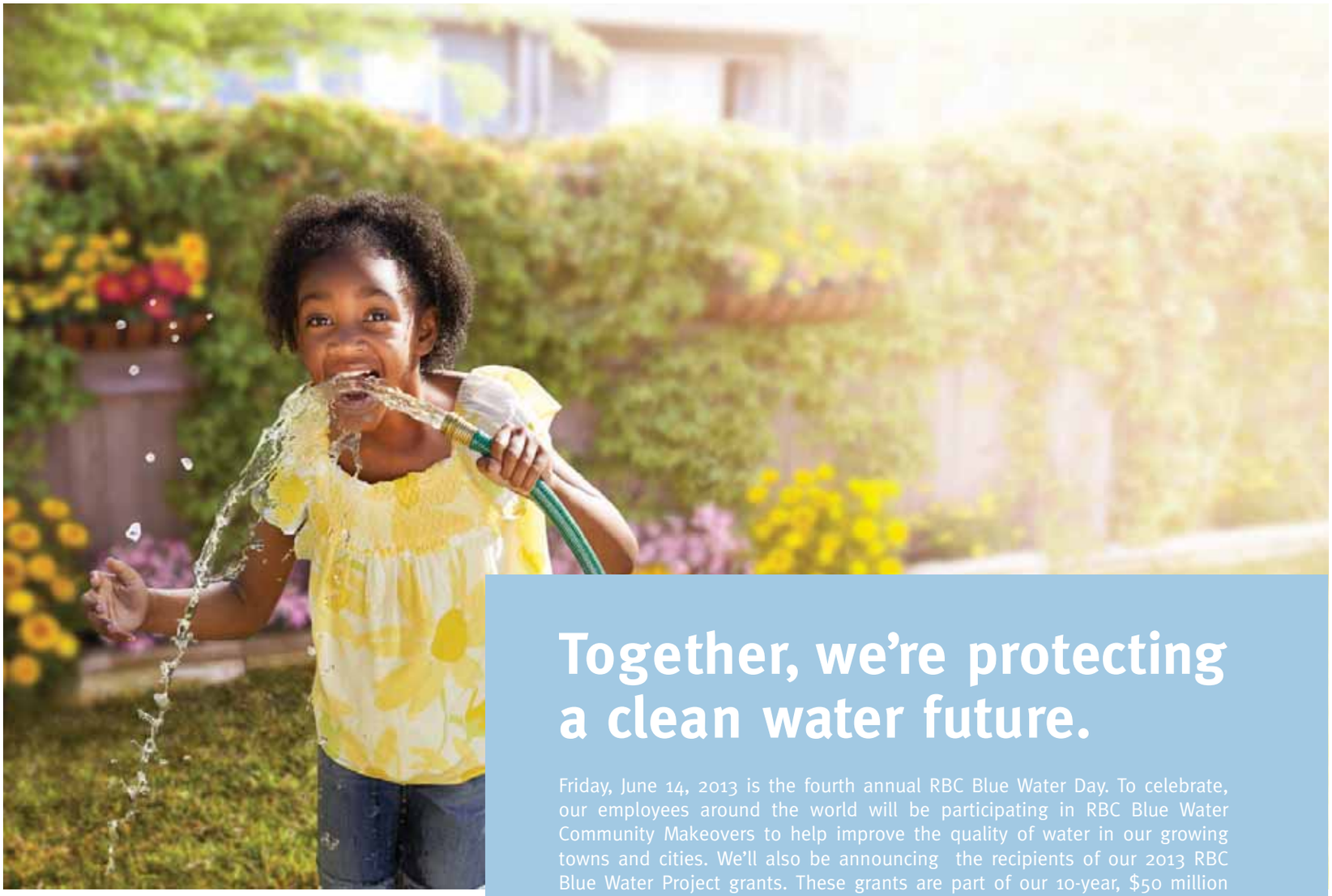
"We are extremely grateful to have such a long-standing partnership," says Linda Craib, supervisor of donor care with the Living City Foundation, of the organization's relationship with the RBC Blue Water Project.

"We admire RBC's global fresh water commitment, support and education of watershed protection; and vision of funding cutting-edge sustainable technologies for a healthy sustainable future."

In partnership with RBC, the organization also hosts Community Days events for RBC employees. Activities range from canoeing the Humber River to painting yellow fish symbols next to storm drains as part of the national Yellow Fish Road program.

Each year, more than half a million people enjoy TRCA's parks and facilities. Since 1961, the Living City Foundation has championed the conservation of natural environments; the organization has raised almost $40 million for outdoor education projects and other initiatives that encourage people to better understand, enjoy, and protect the natural environment.

– Jessie Davis, Water Canada



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Bieber has no interest in making dreams come true at Disneyland

Justin Bieber apparently learned his lesson about acting his age after being booted from a Hollywood nightclub for being underage.

The next night, the 19-year-old pop star hit up Disneyland for a guys' night out, according to E! News.

Bieber "was surrounded by a lot of security. Half were like his personal security and the other half were from the theme park," a source says of the night out.

"He wouldn't let anyone talk to him and he was walking pretty fast."

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The Word

Seth Rogen admits his Guilt Trip drove off a cliff

Seth Rogen isn't the biggest fan of some of his own work, joking to comedian Doug Benson that The Guilt Trip, his recent film with Barbra Streisand, is only suitable for viewing on airplanes.

"We shot that movie in the format that plays on airplanes only," Rogen says.

He also offers a surprisingly candid postmortem on The Green Hornet, his and co-writer Evan Goldberg's action comedy that disappointed both critically and financially, calling it the "perfect storm of bad sh— happening. Goldberg explains that we were making it for America and China at the same time."

Ellen Page

Ellen getting paged on relationship rumours

Look at what an innocent photo can do. The East director Zal Batmanglij tweeted a picture over the weekend of co-stars Alexander Skarsgard and Ellen Page in an affectionate embrace along with the comment, "This reminds me of shooting."

The image sparked a slew of rumours that Skarsgard and Page are dating, but multiple sources confirm to Us Weekly that they are not in fact an item. Of course, the pair had to shoot down similar speculation a year ago when they attended a Stanley Cup finals game together. "They're just two hockey fans," a source explained at the time.

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5 Free things in Philly

The City of Brotherly Love is perhaps best known for its Colonial roots, but locals will tell you there's much more to explore in this city of 1.5 million people. Options abound for travellers looking for free things to do in and around the historic district and beyond.

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Independent spirit

Two of the city's busiest tourist stops, the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall, are free to visit and located directly across the street from each other. Getting into Independence Hall, where the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution were signed, requires a timed ticket because of crowds. No tickets are required for the Liberty Bell.

Right up your alley

In the middle of the Old City neighbourhood's cool art galleries, vintage furniture stores and trendy clothing boutiques is a charming cobblestone lane that has barely changed in 200 years: Elfreth's Alley, often called the oldest continuously inhabited street in America. It was built for carts travelling to the nearby Delaware River waterfront and named for Jeremiah Elfreth, an 18th-century blacksmith who built and rented out several homes there.

Garden of glass

Dream Garden, a jaw-dropping glass mosaic, is close to the historic district but easy to miss unless you know it's there. The magical scene was created with more than 100,000 pieces of iridescent glass by the studios of Louis Comfort Tiffany and was based on a painting by Philadelphia native Maxfield Parrish.

Rocky's road

Make like Philly's fictional prizefighter Rocky Balboa and bound up the Philadelphia Museum of Art's 72 stone steps, then spend a few minutes taking in the picture-postcard skyline view down the tree-lined Benjamin Franklin Parkway. A sculpture of the Italian Stallion, arms raised in victory, at the base of the stairs is a popular spot for photo ops.

Something wild

John Heinz Wildlife Refuge is a 400-hectare oasis located just 1.6 kilometres from the bustle and noise of Philadelphia International Airport. Managed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the refuge is free and open from sunrise to sunset year-round. Birdwatchers have documented more than 300 species of birds at the verdant refuge, a stopover for migratory species due to its location along the Atlantic Flyway, and it's one of the only places where locally endangered species of turtles and frogs still live.

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Hit the road, app

The number of travel-related apps is somewhat overwhelming. For travellers anxious to weed through the noise here are five that are worth paying attention to.

ON THE MOVE
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Google Maps

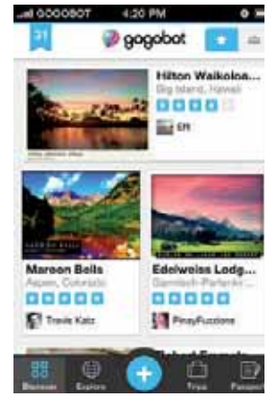
Google Maps is for people who never want to get lost again. It is not only the best navigation and mapping tool out there for drivers offering traffic information and Google StreetView modes, but the Android version comes with turn-by-turn GPS directions for walking, driving and biking. It even has indoor maps for stores, some hotels and airports, so you can literally plot your entire journey between the front door and the airport gate.

Worldmate

Worldmate is like a travel agent at your fingertips. This free app will organize every detail of your trip itinerary from your flight times to your hotel confirmations. Once you input your travel details it automatically provides destination-specific information, directions and useful tools like a currency convertor and tip calculator. It also syncs to your social network.

Livecity

Livecity app is your man in the know. Whether you're looking for a concert, exhibit, game or play, just type in the city you're in and get a full listing of all the events by location. The database is updated daily. You will have to pay for it, but I would recommend signing up for the premium version so you can avoid having to navigate through the ads.



Gogobot

Gogobot is for people seeking input from friends and people in the know on their travel choices. It is a free iPhone and Android app (and website) that allows you to send queries about a destination to your Twitter and Facebook networks and to the site's own members to amplify the word of mouth request. The result is the opportunity for personalized recommendations on more than 60,000 destinations around the world.

Living Earth

Living Earth comes highly recommended by my friend @MSiddiqi. She has just left on a six month #WrongWay-Round global tour, hitting destinations around the world in the off season. This weather and clock app lets you program in every stop on your journey and with one touch of a button you have a constant real-time update on what to expect when you arrive. It does cost you $2.99 to download, but the 3D simulation of our planet and the graphics are phenomenal.

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Ireland banks on luring its emigrés back in 2013 with 'gathering' events

Home, green home. The Emerald Isle is looking to boost its lagging economy

The tall ships looked majestic as they sailed into the bay — replicas of the masted, rigged vessels that once transported millions of emigrants from these shores.

The ships had departed from Liverpool, England, three days earlier, carrying descendants of Irish emigrants in a reverse voyage billed as an opportunity to "sail home to your roots." A crowd on the docks cheered as they entered Dublin port and the crew unfurled a giant green banner with the words, "Welcome to Our Gathering."

The May voyage was just one event among thousands taking place throughout Ireland, part of an ambitious yearlong tourism drive to boost the country's battered economy by luring its diaspora home.

Billed as The Gathering, the initiative is really multiple gatherings, large and small, ranging from the cultural and historic to the sporting, the quirky and the poignant.

"Bring them home. Treat them well. The Gathering is 'Project Ireland'. Do your bit," Taoiseach (Prime Minister) Enda Kenny exhorted fellow countrymen and women when the initiative was launched earlier in the year.

In every county, town and parish it seems that some group has taken his words to heart.

Highlights include flagship events like a July 21 Riverdance extravaganza, in which 2,013 master dancers are expected to kick up their heels along the banks of Dublin's River Liffey and attempt to break the world record for step-dancing. The last record was set in Nashville with 632 dancers in 2011.

Popular annual cultural events such as the Galway Arts Festival, the Cork Jazz Festival and the Dingle Tradfest are all incorporating "gathering" programs, as are big sporting events. Choral gatherings are huge. It seems like every little village or town is hosting a gathering and inviting choirs from Europe and the U.S. to join them.

There are busking gatherings and blacksmith gatherings, scientist gatherings and even an "Evil Eye" spiritual gathering in Donegal in August.

A replica of the vessels that carried millions of emigrants from Ireland sailing into Dublin port. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

There are quirky gatherings to raise money for charity — for example the redhead convention in Cork in August. And bog-snorkelling, sheaf-tossing and welly-throwing (Wellington rubber boots) gatherings.

The goal, tourism officials say, is to tap into the estimated 70 million people who claim Irish descent worldwide and bring at least 350,000 additional tourists home.

From around the world, they are heeding the call.

A gang of London ex-pats has organized a bike ride from Trafalgar Square to Killorglin, County Kerry, in time for the annual three-day Puck Fair in August. Reputed to be the oldest fair in Ireland, the highlight is catching a wild mountain goat and crowning it King Puck.

Legend has it that during the 17th century, a goat broke away from its herd to warn the town of the advancing army of English commander Oliver Cromwell during his conquest of Ireland.

A group of Irish emigrants living in Toronto who, partly out of homesickness, organized a club there to play camogie, is returning as part of an international camogie gathering at the end of July. (The sport of camogie is women's hurling.)

The event includes matches in Dublin's Croke Park stadium, hallowed ground for the Gaelic Athletic Association, Ireland's biggest sporting organization.

"To come home and play in Croke Park is like a dream come true," said camogie player Marie O'Riordan, who emigrated to Toronto from Cork in 2009. "It's a fantastic way for emigrants like us to keep the connection and be part of something positive for our country."

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Strawberries are the star in this tempting shortcake

This delectable recipe was developed by Ricardo Larrivee, the Montreal-based host of Ricardo and Friends, which aired on Food Network Canada.

You can also make this cake with other berries, such as raspberries, blueberries, blackberries and ground cherries.

The shortcake recipe makes 12 servings THE ASSOCIATED PRESS/LESFRAICHESDUQUEBEC.COM

Ingredients

Preparation time: 25 minutes
Cooking time: 25 minutes
Refrigeration time: 1 hour

Cake

- 175 ml (3/4 cup) unsalted butter
- 175 ml (3/4 cup) water
- 500 ml (2 cups) unbleached all-purpose flour
- 10 ml (2 tsp) baking powder
- Pinch salt
- 2 eggs
- 300 ml (1 1/4 cups) sugar
- 5 ml (1 tsp) vanilla extract
- 175 ml (3/4 cup) sour cream

Filling

- 1.5 l (6 cups) fresh strawberries, hulled and quartered
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) sugar, divided
- 15 ml (1 tbsp) Grand Marnier
- 500 ml (2 cups) 35 per cent cream

Cake

1. With rack in the middle position, heat oven to 180 C (350 F). Line a 30-by-43-cm (12-by-17-inch) baking sheet with parchment paper, allowing the paper to overhang 2 opposite sides. Butter the paper.

2. In a small saucepan, melt butter in water. Let cool partially. In a bowl, combine flour, baking powder and salt. Set aside. In another bowl, beat eggs with sugar and vanilla using an electric mixer until mixture is thick and falls from the beaters in ribbons. With mixer on low, add dry ingredients, alternating with butter mixture and sour cream.

3. Spread batter evenly over baking sheet. Bake until lightly browned and a toothpick inserted in the centre comes out clean, about 25 minutes. Let cool partially. Unmould with paper (to help keep cake moist). Let cool on a rack.

4. Trim edges of cake to straighten them. Cut into 2 rectangles (30 cm/12 inches on their longest side).

Filling

1. In a bowl, toss strawberries with 30 ml (2 tbsp) sugar and Grand Marnier. Let macerate for about 15 minutes. In another bowl, whip cream with remaining sugar until stiff peaks form.

2. Assembly: Lay 1 cake rectangle on a rectangular serving plate, paper side up. Remove paper. Top with half the whipped cream and strawberries. Cover with second cake rectangle. Remove paper. Top with remaining whipped cream and strawberries. Refrigerate for an hour before serving. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Cocktail of the Week

C'est la vie

- 2 strawberries cut into quarters
- 1.5oz Grey Goose vodka
- .5oz simple syrup
- .5oz freshly squeezed lime juice
- 2 large basil leaves
- 2 cracks or dashes of black pepper

Muddle strawberries in base of a shaker, add ice and remaining ingredients. Shake well and fine strain into a stemless martini glass. RECIPES & PHOTOS COURTESY OF THE GREY GOOSE LOUNGE AT MUZIK IN TORONTO

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You're a little over a month into your summer internship and you only have a few more to make a real impact — both on your career and your employer. What should you do?

We asked three top employers for their tips and advice about how you can make the most of your summer job or internship while there's still time.

Darren MacDonald, Talent supply manager at Procter & Gamble

Top 3 summer internship tips:

1. Do not miss the chance to learn about and engage with other functions throughout your internship — it is a great way to find out where you fit best.

2. Seek to understand — then be bold. Once you have taken the time to understand a problem, don't be afraid to challenge the status quo.

Finding yourself with little to do? Why not figure out which charitable organization(s) the company you work for supports, and organize a volunteer event for your team or for the interns you are working with. ISTOCK

Yours for the taking

Your internship isn't just a summer job — it's a chance to experience what it's like to work for a company where you own your results.

Lori Billing
Assistant HR Manager, Talent Acquisition

3. Work hard, play hard. Internships should be challenging, but they should also be a lot of fun. Invest the time to get to know your fellow interns outside of work.

Lauren Larose, HR marketing and communications advisor at Suncor Energy

Top 3 summer internship tips:

1. Get involved as much as you can by participating in social events, helping to organize employee events, raising money for a charity the company sponsors, etc. Making great connections is key!

2. Don't be shy. Your boss wants to keep you happy and engaged, so don't be afraid to take on more if you're getting things done quickly or let them know when you're stuck.

3. You're there to learn. Ask for feedback from your boss and your colleagues about your performance and what you could work to improve in the future.

Lori Billing, Assistant HR manager of Talent Acquisition at Kraft

Top 3 summer internship tips:

1. Create a goal plan and own it. Your internship isn't just a summer job — it's a chance to experience what it's like to work for a company where you own your results. We set goals that our interns work toward throughout the summer, but interns can also add their own goal to achieve something that is important to them. At the end of the summer, you want to be able to point to an accomplishment and say "that was me — I did that!"

2. Get involved with something outside your job description. Not only does this allow you to show your leadership and initiative, it also helps to build your network at the organization.

3. Build relationships. With your team, with your boss, with your boss's boss, with your HR contact — people should know who you are and what you are working on, and should hopefully have great things to say about both!

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From generic job to a work of art

Changing gears.
Later-in-life careers in art can prove rewarding to retirees and weary employees

One was a stockbroker, another a computer whiz. There's a therapist and a small-business owner. Each retired from a traditional career and launched into another in the arts.

"Do I still have nightmares about the other (job)? Yes," says Bill Sanders, a Steamboat Springs, Colo., ceramics artist who is retired from the lumber and wood flooring business he owned for 20 years. He says he still wakes up sometimes in a cold sweat worrying about whether some shipment is making it to a job site on time. Then he realizes he doesn't need to worry about that anymore.

These days, Sanders, 64, keeps to the outdoors — he skis during the winter and volunteers for the U.S. Forest Service during the summer — and creates his artwork, which includes dishware, decorative pots and sculptured horses.

A pair of Bill Sanders' blue ceramic horses. BILL SANDERS, TIM MURPHY / THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Labour of love

"I wanted to do something that was closer to the bone and less about the money."
Jennifer O'Day
Mixed-media artist

He learned the basics of ceramics as a teenager living in Southeast Asia. He kept at it while growing his Honolulu lumber and flooring business to include eight employees and more than $1 million in inventory by the time he sold the company in 1997.

Then, he and his wife, Barbara, also an artist, moved to Colorado, and he turned to his lifelong love of ceramics more intentionally.

"Clay is kind of cool. It's just dirt," says Sanders. "If you don't like what you did, you just throw it back in the bucket and then you can make something else."

A pendant Judy Hoch designed consists of fused, shaped silver and gold set off by a reddish-orange sapphire. JUDY HOCH, HAP SAKWA / THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Jennifer O'Day, 61, of Austin, Texas, is a former stockbroker who says her mixed-media artwork nourishes all her senses.

"It really sharpens my ability to see visually and perceptively," says O'Day. "It's not just about my mind and my hand accomplishing something. It engages that whole mind-body-soul thing."

She was born into a business-oriented family, so that was in her blood, she says. The art she nurtured.

"I wanted to do something that was closer to the bone and less about the money," O'Day says about the portraits she now assembles.

It's not just about my mind and my hand accomplishing something. It engages that whole mind-body-soul thing," she says.

There's one aspect of her old stockbroker life that she sometimes misses: engaging with clients. Geri deGruy, 59, also enjoyed her previous career as a therapist in private practice, although it was emotionally gruelling working with many of her clients, who were abused women.

"Toward the end of my practice, there was a feeling sort of like PTSD," she recalls.

She turned from being a therapist to the textile arts, which required that she slow down.

"I started seeing form differently. I started seeing repetitive patterns," says deGruy, who creates small art quilts and mixed-media collages. "My eye was developing, my seeing was changing."

She still works every day.

"Always our time is short — we never know," deGruy says. "I have that urgency every day. I don't want to waste this moment. I don't want to miss this opportunity to play with colour." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Business is beautiful

Judy Hoch, 72, of Salida, Colo., finds parallels between her former career, as a computer engineer, and her current one as a jewelry maker.

"Jewelry making is just engineering on a very small scale," she says.

Hoch spent a dozen years at IBM, where she became a senior engineer and earned two patents, then moved into a computer software job, from which she was laid off in the early 1990s.

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The Fergus Scottish Festival and Highland Games offer bands, bagpipers, drummers, crafts for the kids, sporting events, author lectures, highland dancing, sword fighting displays, storytelling, singing, food, arts and family history, and heritage information. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE FILE

k-os will play Luminato's opening night June 14 at the Festival Hub. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE FILE

The world's largest Elvis festival is Collingwood's biggest summer party from July 25-28. BEN FLOCK/ONTARIO TOURISM

Some of North America's biggest, longest running and most unusual festivals take place in Ontario.

Here are a variety of events from which to choose to keep you busy this summer.

Christmas in June Boat Parade
It may be the height of summer, but if you are in Orillia June 22, don't be shocked to see a parade of boats decorated in festive baubles and trim celebrating the holiday season. For more, see orillia.com.

Collingwood Elvis Festival
The world's largest Elvis festival is Collingwood's biggest summer party from July 25-28. Officially sanctioned by Graceland, the Collingwood Elvis Festival attracts more than 70,000 fans and visitors to pay tribute to the King of Rock and Roll. For more, see collingwoodelvisfestival.com.

Fergus Scottish Festival and Highland Games
Everyone can enjoy the sites and sounds of Scotland without even leaving Ontario soil at the Fergus Scottish Festival and Highland Games. North America's largest Scottish Festival from July 18-20 offers something for everyone. For more, see fergusscottishfestival.com.

Friendship Festival
Visit the Fort Erie Friendship Festival June 28 to July 1 and commemorate almost 200 years of Canadian and American relations. Featuring live concerts and entertainment, crafting tables and more, the Friendship Festival is a great activity for families. For more, see friendshipfestival.com.

Luminato
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Tennis

Monfils' knee holds up against Thonhill's Raonic

Gael Monfils beat fifth-seeded Milos Raonic 6-4, 6-2 in the first round of the Gerry Weber Open on Tuesday, the latest step in the Frenchman's comeback from a knee injury.

Once ranked as high as No. 7 in the world, Monfils, who is now ranked 67th, missed several months in 2012 because of a right-knee injury that also cut his season short.

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MLB

Bautista gives Blue Jays chance to win with bat

Jose Bautista hit a game-tying home run in the ninth inning and Rajai Davis scored on a wild pitch in the 10th to lead the Toronto Blue Jays to a 7-5 win over the Chicago White Sox at U.S. Cellular Field in Chicago on Tuesday night.

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Sizing up the competition

"I'd rather have the talk about my game rather than just my size."

Zdeno Chara, the Bruins' six-foot-nine defenceman, helped his team hold Penguins Sidney Crosby and Evgeni Malkin pointless in the Eastern Conference final. The Bruins will face the Patrick Kane and Jonathan Toews-led Blackhawks in the Stanley Cup final. Game 1 will be played Wednesday night in Chicago.

Spurs shooting guard Manu Ginobli dunks in the third quarter of a blowout win over the Miami Heat in Game 3 of the NBA Finals on Tuesday night in San Antonio.

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Spurs make Texas toast out of Heat

NBA Finals. San Antonio role players punish defending champions in blowout Game 3 victory

Game 3

Spurs	Heat
113	77

Danny Green scored 27 points, Gary Neal added 24 and the San Antonio Spurs set an NBA Finals record with 16 three-pointers in a 113-77 victory over the Miami Heat on Tuesday night in San Antonio to take a 2-1 series lead.

Green hit seven of nine threes, Neal was six for 10 from deep and Tim Duncan chipped in 12 points and 14 rebounds for the Spurs, who responded to a 19-point drubbing in Game 2 with a blowout of their own.

The Spurs flummoxed four-time MVP LeBron James for a third straight game, holding him to 15 points on 7-of-21 shooting. James also had 11 rebounds and five assists, but he missed 11 of his first 14 shots and never looked comfortable against San Antonio's swarming defence.

Game 4 in the best-of-seven series is on Thursday night in San Antonio.

Kawhi Leonard had 14 points and 12 rebounds for the Spurs, who are two wins away from the franchise's fifth championship with two more games at home in the raucous AT&T Center this week.

Mike Miller made all five of his three-pointers for 15 points and Chris Bosh had 12 points and 10 rebounds for the defending champion Heat, who never led in the game.

The Spurs came home to their devoted fans encouraged by the split, but reeling a little after James, Dwyane Wade and Mario Chalmers thumped them 103-84 in Game 2.

When the series started, it was billed as the battle of the Big 3s — James, Wade and Bosh for Miami against Tony Parker, Duncan and Manu Ginobili for the Spurs. But it's really been about the little guys for the most part, outside of Parker's sensational performance in Game 1.

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The 2014 Jeep Cherokee

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2014 Jeep Cherokee

- **Type.** Four-door, front- /four-wheel-drive compact sport utility vehicle
- **Engines (hp).** 2.4-litre DOHC I4 (184); 3.2-litre DOHC V6 (271)
- **Transmissions.** Nine-speed automatic
- **Base price (incl. destination)** $28,000 (est.)

Design

It's as if the designers snuck a futuristic concept model out the back door and ordered up full production before any of the higher-ups got wise to the plan. The rest of the sheetmetal appears tame by comparison, but encasing the body in protective lower cladding gives the Cherokee a handsomely rugged silhouette.

Technology

All but the most basic Cherokee models feature 12.7 or 21-centimetre touch-screens, depending on the trim level, that operate climate, communications and infotainment systems.

Engine

Concurrent with its groundbreaking design, the 2014 Cherokee takes a fresh approach with its powertrain offerings. Base models feature a Fiat-designed 2.4-litre four-cylinder worth 184 horsepower and 171 pound-feet of torque.

Are you shocked and slack-jawed about the 2014 Jeep Cherokee that will arrive later this year?

Who can really blame you? After all, it was the immensely popular — and very square — XJ-designated Cherokee that introduced truckloads of buyers to the virtues of four-wheel-drive as far back as 1984. For the next two decades, it remained steadfastly unchanged until the Liberty stepped in for the 2002 model year.

With the Liberty's retirement, however, Chrysler-Fiat's off-road division has resurrected the Cherokee brand, but with a significant — and controversial — shift in direction. For starters, instead of the brick-like original, the latest model has some seriously modern sculpting going on.

All by itself, the pinched and pointy-nose grille says plenty about the risk that Jeep's designers have undertaken in creating the new Cherokee. Then there are the eyelid headlights that would have been impossible to imagine on any production car, Jeep or otherwise ... until now, that is.

The interior is also as modern as the outside. In the last few years Jeep has switched from utilitarian hard plastic dashboards to creating inviting soft-touch shapes. The split-folding and fore-/aft-sliding second-row seat is standard, while an available fold-flat front passenger seat has storage beneath the flip-up bottom cushion.

Front-wheel-drive is the Cherokee norm, but buyers will be able to choose from three different four-wheel-drive setups, depending on trim level. Active Drive I, optional in the Sport, Latitude and Limited editions, is a single-speed unit that kicks in automatically whenever tire slip is detected.

Active Drive II, also available in the same models, comes with a two-speed transfer case and is designed for off-road use with either the four or six-cylinder engines. However, for rock crawling and boulder hopping, Active Drive Lock, as the name implies, locks up the rear differential in low range.

All 4x4 systems include Selec-Terrain traction control with five different settings to match the kind of ground you're on (snow, mud etc.

Pricing for the base Cherokee Sport will likely start in the upper-$20,000 range, which sits between the smaller $18,500 (base price) Compass and the larger $40,000 Grand Cherokee, effectively providing a brand-new product in a crucial size and price niche.

But what about the controversy? Forget about it. The Cherokee has veered off its traditional path to seek out new worlds and supporters.

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Buying or selling, online danger is real

Expert opinion. Lead auto theft detective offers his invaluable tips to avoid being ripped off, roughed up or even murdered during a vehicle sale

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Lt. Ray Collins is a busy guy. A very busy guy.

As a lead detective with the auto-theft task force of the Michigan State Police Department, Collins spends most of his workday trying to stay ahead of criminals by thinking like one. And that's a job that never gets any easier.

About 70,000 vehicles are reported stolen in the Detroit metro area every year. And with modern technology becoming a thief's best friend, prospective robbers are becoming more brazen and acutely resourceful in their schemes and efforts.

"Everything in auto theft seems to go in cycles," said Collins, seemingly amazed at the complexity of the tricks of the trade.

"They move from scam, to scam, to scam. As soon as we sort of get a grasp on one scam, they have moved to another."

Collins said that computers and the Internet are the tools of choice for prospective car thieves.

Whether it's posting a misleading online classified ad, or producing a counterfeit car title to legitimize the sale of a stolen vehicle, criminals use technology to trick buyers and stay ahead of law enforcement.

In fact, according to the U.S. Internet Crime Complaint Center, consumer reports of shady vehicle sales increased 25 per cent last year and are expected to jump significantly again in 2013.

"This is a new generation of car thief, and both private sellers and buyers have to be very careful," Collins said. "These scammers are very good at what they do, and they don't care who gets hurt when they're trying to pull a rip-off."

And while Collins said most thieves try to avoid violence when it comes to pulling a vehicle scam or theft, there are exceptions. Violent carjackings — and even murder — are being reported after thieves set up a test drive for a private sale, take the owner along for the ride, then steal the vehicle by forcing them out the door, or worse.

"If you're going to sell your car, you never meet anybody at your house. That's just too big a risk nowadays. You might be getting set up for more than car theft," Collins said. "Always meet somebody that wants to take a car for a test drive, at the police station. That's a sure-fire way to protect yourself."

Collins also offered some other important guidelines when selling a vehicle, here they are:

• If possible, bring a friend or family member along for the test drive, and make sure someone knows how long you expect to be gone. Carry your cell phone and keep it handy and visible throughout the trip.

• Be wary of anyone who makes an offer to buy a vehicle sight-unseen. This is often a warning sign of a larger scam that involves transferring the title through a bad cheque or another fraudulent payment method.

• Negotiate only with the specific person who is purchasing your car, and never with someone acting on the buyer's behalf. And if willing to accept a cheque, complete the transaction at the buyer's bank to ensure payment verification. And while it's important for sellers to protect themselves, Collins warns that most of the complaints he investigates come from the buyers. A wildly popular scam flooding into Collins' office involves a stolen vehicle, a counterfeit title, and what appear to be a trustworthy seller and a safe meeting place. Scammers will post a vehicle for sale on a web site and invite prospective buyers to an apartment complex for a meeting and a test drive. Typically there's a sob story about financial hardship as the reason why a quick sale and a cash payment are necessary, and why the selling price is well below book or market value. The title — usually created with some nifty computer work — matches the vehicle-identification number and the apartment address where the meeting was set up, a transaction is made, and the two parties go their separate ways. "Everything seems normal, the guy gives you a title for it, you give him cash for the car, you go to get the car titled, and it's stolen," Collins said. "You go back to the apartment complex and nobody has ever heard of this guy. What you weren't paying any attention to is that they never walked out of the apartment. He walked out in between buildings or he came down the stairway." Collins offered these important tips when buying a car to avoid getting taken by a "curbstoner" scam:

• Be wary of prices that seem too good to be true. Several web sites, such as Edmonds.com, Kellybluebook.com or NADAGuides.com — offer buyers a credible guide to vehicle pricing. The lower the price, the higher the probability of a sales scam, and the perfect warning to walk away.

• Title washing is another popular sales scam that involves removing the word "salvaged" from the history of vehicles that have been wrecked and repaired. Spending a few bucks on a vehicle history report from CarFax or AutoCheck is often a telling and wise investment.

• While the focus is on your personal safety, don't forget the basics of the transaction. If you're buying, thoroughly test the vehicle in broad daylight, also making sure to test the lights. "There are no guarantees when buying or selling a vehicle," Collins said. "But try not to negotiate alone, use the Internet as a tool, and if something doesn't feel right, there are plenty of other cars for sale out there to choose from."

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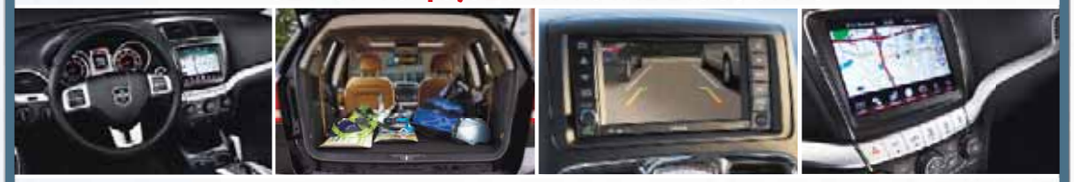

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As the weather gets hotter, your car comes under a lot of stress. You can't change the weather, but you can take steps to ensure your vehicle won't leave you stranded.

"Heat brings out failure, because it puts stress on the components," says Ben Spatafora, national director for CarCostCanada.

It's important to check your tires regularly. Along with the air pressure and tread depth, you should also examine the sidewall for any bulges, bubbles, cracks, or cuts. "A slight bulge may be fine in normal driving, but get on the highway when it's hot, and that bulge can explode," Spatafora says.

If you still have your winter tires on, it's time to change them, since they wear much faster in hot weather.

Open the hood and check the belts and hoses. There should be no cracks in the belts, and the hoses should feel similar to a garden hose when you squeeze them (do this only when the engine has cooled completely). If they're too hard or too soft, it's time to replace them. If they crack or break while driving, they'll leave you stranded.

It's a good idea to switch to summer windshield washer fluid, which doesn't evaporate as quickly on hot glass. "If the outside temperature is 30C, the windshield could be 50C," Spatafora says. That heat bakes on any road grime, bugs or bird droppings, so summer fluid contains detergents for better cleaning.

Modern engine oils are formulated for high heat, but they do break down and provide less protection as they get older, so follow the manufacturer's recommended maintenance. If you drive frequently in stop-and-go traffic, or usually make short trips, follow the "severe use" schedule.

During the oil change, your technician should check the engine coolant strength to be sure it can take high temperatures. If your vehicle has a temperature gauge (not all do), it's normal for the needle to rise slightly in slow-moving traffic, or if you're towing a trailer.

But if it rises quickly, or if a red warning light comes on, pull over as soon as you can and shut the car off to avoid the potential for engine damage.

Not all cars have them but if yours has a temperature gauge keep an eye on it to avoid any engine damage and possibly a break down. PROVIDED

Helpful hints

- **Shade is good.** Use automotive sun shades on side windows to protect rear-seat occupants from sunburn. Don't put a blanket in the window, which obscures your vision.
- **Big no-no.** Never leave children or pets in a parked car. Even with the window cracked open, the interior can get hot enough to cause brain damage or death, and in only a few minutes if it's really hot outside.
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The worst back seat drivers are rarely in the back seat. The worst back seat drivers are usually in the front passenger seat, where you can more closely observe and hear how they are supremely irking you, and get you fantasizing about an in-car cattle prod.

But "back seat driver" has become the accepted term for a passenger of any location, who is offering too much driving advice.

Insurance.com recently commissioned a survey on back seat driving, and the responses are, well, entirely predicable.

Who are the worst back seat drivers? Husbands and wives.

The two most annoying things they do? Commenting on driving speeds. Giving unwanted directions.

But insurance.com offered some useful advice on how "back seat drivers" can voice legitimate concerns without having it sound like a declaration of war. Basically it's not what you say, but how you say it.

For example, if you're the passenger and really disliking the Miles Davis playing on the stereo, don't say something like, "Jazz is a load of pretentious elephant dung, appealing only to pompous pseudo-intellectuals who only pretend to like it," and then violently change the station until you find something by Avril Lavigne or Justin Bieber.

Better, says insurance.com, that you ask the person if they would mind if you change the station.

Or better yet, discuss which kinds of music or artists you both like, and then mutually agree on a select few stations or music genres.

Same thing when the driver is driving too fast. Don't say he or she is driving like a complete idiot.

Or even like an incomplete idiot, because that is just as insulting and actually a more difficult concept to understand.

Rather, say how the speed is making you feel uneasy and unsafe, so you trigger the driver's better nature, and get them to think about how they are responsible for your safety and have the capacity to make you feel better.

I think, and I hope, that navigation systems have lessened the friction between driver and their passengers, when it comes to finding your destination and the best way to get there.

But I hope it doesn't totally eliminate that rich communication experience that arises when driver and passenger vigorously debate over which route is the better one to take when time is extremely tight.

Oh, how we would miss the tension, the creative adjectives, and the eating of words when your choice ultimately proves disastrous.

Like everything, it comes down to basic courtesy and grace, for both drivers and back seat drivers. In that vein, check out this comment from one of the survey's more gracious respondents: "My wife has helped me avoid many an accident by paying attention to the road."

The worst offences

As reported by 500 respondents to a survey commissioned by insurance.com

- Comments on driving-speed.
- Give directions
- Talks too much
- Pushes imaginary brake pedals
- Fiddles with stereo
- Sings and eats messily.

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Get a grip

Driving gloves aren't just for dilettantes who simply want to show off. They keep your sweaty hands off the steering wheel, which gives you a better (and safer) grip. Italian glove maker Fratelli Orsini produces a wide range of gloves for both men and women made from fine Italian lambskin leather. They include vent and knuckle holes and a snap closure that ensures a proper fit. The company's selection also includes fingerless styles. All are available in small, medium, large and extra-large sizes. Prices range from $11 US for fingerless versions right up to $176 for the top-of-the-line cashmere-lined deerskin gloves. Fratelli Orsini products are sold online through leatherglove-sonline.com.

Protect your pooch

It's amazing how many people fail to properly secure their pets when hitting the road. To extend some common-sense travel protection to your best friend, consider a Kurgo Tru Fit Smart Harness. This product is manufactured using the same webbed material used to make seatbelts. As well, the adjustable padded chest plate adds an extra measure of doggie safety and comfort. The harness can also be used when taking your pet outside for a walk. And with the optional zip line, your dog can still safely roam around the back seat. The Smart Harness retails for $23 US, while the zip line is a $20 option, or you can purchase both together for $38. You can check out the complete line of canine restraint systems at kurgostore.com.

Art works on wheels

Models are OK for some, but for others, a classic racing car sculpture, especially one created by Mark Maholm will be a much better choice. His hand-made 1:6-scale labours of love are built with solid resin composites and finished in several coats of acrylic lacquer. Most of Maholm's pieces are more than 60 centimetres in length and weigh about 11 kilograms. His website displays a number of Ferraris, but Maholm has also done some profile pieces as well as a series of 1967 Formula One racecars that include the Dan Gurney Eagle, Lotus 49 and Ferrari 312. Prices vary depending on the complexity of the piece, but start at about $6,500 US for the 1:6-scale cars and $800 for the 1:10-scale side profiles. Visit markmaholm.com.

A rolling table

As you're no doubt aware, there's an abundance of gadgets you can attach to your vehicle's trailer hitch other than an actual trailer. One of the latest is the Tailgate Partymate Beer Pong Camping Table. Although the name implies some sort of ritualistic beverage-consuming contest, the real uses for this item include a dining/condiment table, or as a support for portable barbecue. The unit with its 45x90-centimetre twin-table, swing-out design will fit any standard two-inch receiver and weighs in at a chunky 23 kilograms. And when not in use it folds and locks unobtrusively against the back of your car, truck, tall wagon or minivan. The Partymate table sells for $300 US at tailgatepartymate.com.

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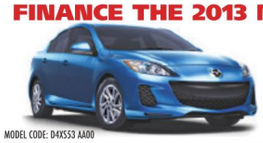

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♈ Aries
March 21 - April 20
Make this a relaxed and easygoing day. Certainly don't use up all your energy on career and financial issues. There may be a dozen or more new things you want to do but you can't do them all at once.

♉ Taurus
April 21 - May 21
Focus on the good things in life and the bad things won't seem so important. Personal relationships will bring much joy over the next few days.

♊ Gemini
May 22 - June 21
You may be hugely talented and highly independent but you don't have to go it alone. The planets make it easy for you to persuade others to help you on whatever quest you have embarked.

♋ Cancer
June 22 - July 23
You must think before you act today or you could offend someone you will need to stay on good terms with. You don't have to watch every word you say, of course — just the ones that are potentially hurtful.

♌ Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
You may not be feeling on top of things now but within a matter of days your confidence will return and anything will seem possible.

♍ Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
According to the planets you are holding back from doing something because you don't want to harm your reputation. That's never been a problem in the past, so why should it be such a huge problem now?

♎ Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
The more someone tries to change your mind about an issue the more you must stand your ground. If others want to follow the latest fad that is up to them but no way will you be one of the herd.

♏ Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
Forget about the wider world and concern yourself only with your family, your friends and the things in life that give you most pleasure. The world will take care of itself.

♐ Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
What worries you yesterday won't worry you tomorrow, so why let it worry you today? Enjoy yourself in whatever way seems right and don't give a thought to the consequences.

♑ Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
If a loved one says they want to spend some time alone don't take it to mean that they don't like your company. It simply means they need to get their thoughts together in a calmer environment. Let them.

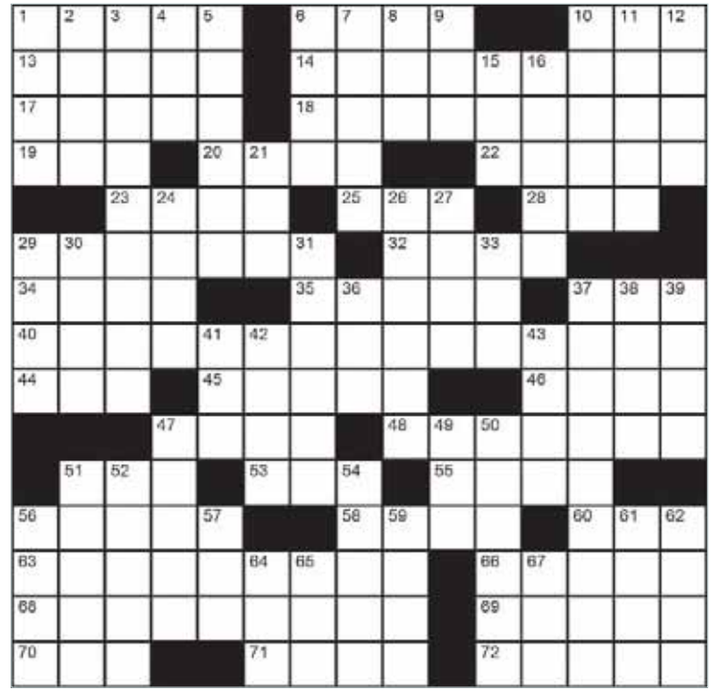
♒ Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
There may have been times in recent weeks when you were not sure you were going to make it, but once again you came out on top and now your confidence is sky-high.

♓ Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
A world of possibilities will open up to you over the next few days and by the start of next week you will be moving in a new direction. Just make sure it's the direction that YOU want to go. **SALLY BROMPTON**

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

See today's answers at metronews.ca/answers.

BY KELLY ANN BUCHANAN



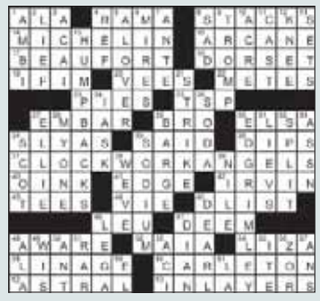
Across

1. Nova Scotia town, The Scallop Capital
6. Mr. Neeson
10. Canadian Hip Hop group, __-Paz
13. Based on _ __ story (As some movies)
14. Alberta town between Edmonton and Calgary
17. Some hotel staff
18. The __ Family, as in Canadian comic strip For Better or For Worse
19. New Zealand '80s band, Split __
20. __ Mix (Cat food brand)
22. Terra __ flower pots
23. Adrian of '80s series "T.J. Hooker"
25. Tide type
28. Legendary pitcher Mr. Young's
29. Galore
32. Music genre
34. Get-out-of-jail money
35. Entertain
37. Liable
40. Hit for Quebecoise singer Mitsou: 4 wds.
44. 1995 Tom Cochrane album: 'Ragged __ Road'
45. Easy _ _ _ _ (Simple)
46. Basset __ (Instrument)
47. Fish of vivid colour
48. Foes to computers
51. Volcano in Japan, Mount __
53. 'Fact' finisher
55. Has a lot of work to do
56. Soap opera, "__ Children": 2 wds.
58. Church section
60. Baseball stat.
63. Carving material
66. __/__ tray (Item on an office desk)
68. Cape Breton __ National Park
69. Oscar-winning actress Patricia's surnamesakes
70. Feminine suffix
71. Musical pause
72. Divine

Down

1. Judi Dench's title
2. "I'd consider __ __ honour..."
3. Salmon catchers
4. Pal
5. Flunkies
6. Bev. Hills clinic request
7. Amazed: 2 wds.
8. Carpenter __
9. Univ. in "Good Will Hunting" (1997)
10. Flavourful
11. Uprising uproars
12. Arm bone
15. Minute bit
16. Monk's garb
21. Summer hrs. in Toronto
24. Scary Spice, aka __ _
26. Late morning mealtime
27. Type of pear
29. "Waterloo" group
30. Compensates
31. Big name in motorcycles
33. Corporate VIP
36. Mafia
37. Beatles album: 2 wds.
38. Rich opposite
39. Nautical ropes
41. Mouth, informally
42. Biblical twin of Jacob's
43. Stirfry pans
47. Zing
49. Stomach muscles, commonly
50. Providing lines to actors
51. Arnold Schwarzenegger's middle name
52. Smelting leftovers
54. Brings in the plane
56. Tennis legend, Arthur __
57. Couture monogram
59. Bug
61. Taurus animal
62. Teensy
64. Road coat
65. Two's half
67. Modern

Yesterday's Crossword



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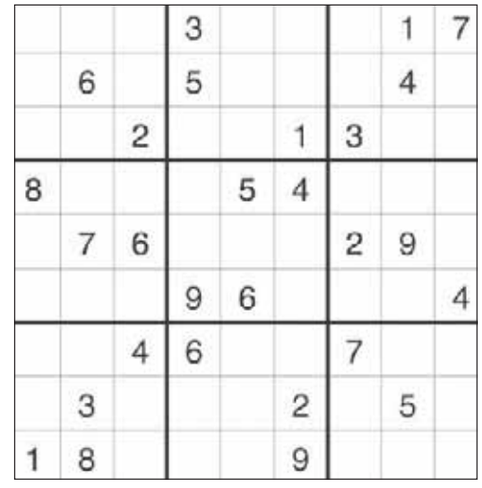

Yesterday's Sudoku

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7	9	4	1	5	3	2	8	6
2	8	6	7	4	9	5	1	3
8	1	7	2	3	6	4	5	9
3	2	5	9	8	4	6	7	1
6	4	9	5	1	7	3	2	8
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